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Advertisement.

PURSUANT to an Order from the Orphans' Court, will be sold at PUBLIC SALE, at Cranberry, on Wednesday, the 14th day of June next, all that valuable REAL ESTATE, late belonging to the Rev. Gilbert T. Snowden, deceased, lying in and near Cranberry, in the county of Middlesex, township of South Brunswick, state of New Jersey, upon the lower stage road leading from Philadelphia to New York. A very elegant frame house in a beautiful and healthy situation, painted white, with Venetian window-shutters, thirty feet front and thirty-eight feet deep, two rooms with a handsome hall or entry on the first floor, three rooms on the second floor and two well-finished garrets. In the rear of the house is an excellent two-story building consisting of a dining-room for work people, spacious pantries and a large kitchen, with every convenience, and over these are three chambers for servants. To the right is an additional building consisting of a chamber below and a library above—under the whole are very fine cellars paved with brick. The house is entirely new and finished with taste. Every room is hung with bells that lead both to the kitchen and the servants' apartments: there is a pump in the yard; and a stone and brick pavement round the whole house, which is enclosed with a handsome railing, with three gates in front. The farm consists of one hundred and sixty seven acres, with a proportion of woodland and meadow, under excellent fence; a garden with pale fence; a large barn, stables, carriage-house, corn-houses, &c. all new, and built in the best manner: with a young orchard of 200 grafted trees. Nearly adjoining said farm is a lot of Woodland of the best quality, containing 37 acres. Also a tract of land within seven miles of Cranberry, containing one hundred and fifty acres, three-fourths meadow and the rest excellent timber. This will be sold in lots or together, as will best suit the purchasers.

The payments, one third cash—one third in one year—and the remaining third, one year following, with interest on the two last payments, and approved security.

For further particulars enquire of Nathaniel Hunt, Esq. or Dr. Ralph Lott, Cranberry; of Isaac Snowden, at Princeton; or of Isaac Snowden, Jun. No. 141 South Second street, Philadelphia.

May 25 §6mzuftS

To be sold cheap,

To close an adventure,

7 Bales Baftas
2 ditto Coffas

Apply at the Store of

Mordecai Lewis.

May 16 co2w

City of Washington.

SCHEME

Of the Lottery, No. II,

For the Improvement of the Federal City.

A magnificent dwelling-house 20,000 dollars,

& cash 30,000, are		50,000
1 ditto	15,000 & cash 25,000	40,000
1 ditto	15,000 & cash 15,000	30,000
1 ditto	10,000 & cash 10,000	20,000
1 ditto	5,000 & cash 5,000	10,000
1 ditto	5,000 & cash 5,000	10,000
1 cash prize of		10,000
2 do.	5,000 each, are	10,000
10 do.	1,000	10,000
20 do.	500	10,000
100 do.	100	10,000
200 do.	50	10,000
400 do.	25	10,000
1,000 do.	20	20,000
15,000 do.	10	150,000
16,739 Prizes.		
33,261 Blanks.		
50,000 Tickets, at Eight Dollars,		400,000

N. B. To favour those who may take a quantity of Tickets, the prize of 40,000 dollars will be the LAST drawn ticket, and the 30,000 the LAST but ONE:

And approved notes, securing payment in either money or prizes, in ten days after drawing, will be received for any number not less than 30 tickets.

This Lottery will afford an elegant specimen of the private buildings to be erected in the City of Washington—Two beautiful designs are already selected for the entire fronts on two of the public squares; from these drawings it is proposed to erect two centre and four corner buildings, as soon as possible after this lottery is sold, and to convey them, when complete, to the fortunate adventurers, in the manner described in the scheme for the Hotel Lottery. A nett deduction of five per cent. will be made to defray the necessary expenses of printing, &c. and the surplus will be made a part of the fund intended for the National University, to be erected within the city of Washington.

The real securities given for the payment of the Prizes, are held by the President and two Directors of the Bank of Columbia, and are valued at more than half the amount of the lottery.

SAMUEL BLODGET.

§. Tickets may be had at the Bank of Columbia; of James West & Co. Baltimore; of Peter Gilman, Boston; of John Hopkins, Richmond; and of Richard Wells, Cooper's Ferry.

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Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of SARAH MARSHALL, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and those that have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their accounts properly attested for settlement, to either of the subscribers. CHRISTOPHER MARSHALL, Jr.
CASPAR W. HAINES,
ABRAHAM M. GARRIGUES,
Administrators to the Estate of Sarah Marshall, deceased. June 3 2aw3w

Pennsylvania Population Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Share Holders, that a further assessment of NINE DOLLARS is levied on each share, payable as follows, viz.

Six Dollars immediately, and
Three Dollars on the 1st of July next.

Which they are requested to pay to the Treasurer of the Company, at the Company's Office, No. 53, North Fourth-street, agreeably to the times above mentioned; and they are further informed, that on their neglecting to pa the same as above directed, the several forfeitures will be exacted.

By order of the Board,
SOL. MARACHE, Treasurer.

May 27. d3ot

Delaware and Schuylkill Canal Company,

May 1st, 1797.

THE STOCKHOLDERS

WHO are in arrears for any sums due on their respective shares, are requested to pay the same.

WILLIAM GOVETT, Treasurer.

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For Sale or Charter,

THE SHIP

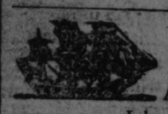
WARREN,

Benjamin Church, Master.

Of about 280 tons burthen. Enquire of

Jesse & Robert Waln.

May 26 §



For Hamburgh,

THE SHIP

AERIAL,

John Tarris, master.

A GREAT part of her cargo is engaged, and she will sail in ten days. For freight or passage apply to capt. Tarris, at Willings & Francis' wharf, or to *GURNEY & SMITH.*

May 25 §

For London,

THE SHIP

WILLIAM PENN,

James Josiah, Master.

WILL sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to

Jesse & Robert Waln.

May 19 §

For Freight or Charter,

To any part of Europe,

The Swedish Ship

Alexander Magnus,

Capt. CARL G. EHSMAN,

ABOUT 350 tons burthen, in this port; and also the Danish Ship FREDERICK JULIUS KAUS, of 450 tons, now lying in Hampton Roads.

Apply to JOHN VAUGHAN.

May 26. tuthsót

For Sale,

The cargo of the brig Enterprize, Captain Langdon from Bourdeaux, now landing at Morton's wharf,

CONSITING OF

524 hhds. of Claret
217 cases of ditto
100 cases of Sweet Oil
110 pipes London proof } BRANDY.
10 pipes of Holland proof } BRANDY. } Entitled to drawback.

Apply to

Wharton & Lewis,

No. 115, South Front St.

Said Brig,

WILL take a FREIGHT for the West-Indies or Europe, sails fast, burthen about fifteen hundred barrels, is in complete order, and will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days

Apply as above.

May 24 §

Millinery Room,

No. 136 Market-street.

MISS CHRYSTAL

TAKES an early opportunity of acquainting her Friends that she has received by the WILLIAM PENN, a variety of NEW MILLINERY, &c. which she hopes to be able to shew them in a few days.

May 18 §30t

The Commissioners

FOR carrying into effect the TWENTY-FIRST Article of the Treaty of Friendship, Limits, and Navigation, between His Catholic Majesty and the United States of America, hereby give information to all Persons therein concerned,—That, in order to terminate all differences, on account of the losses sustained by the Citizens of the United States, in consequence of their Vessels and Cargoes having been taken by the Subjects of His Catholic Majesty, during the late War between Spain and France, that they are ready to receive (at their Office, between the hours of ten and one o'clock, daily) all complaints and applications, authorized by the said Article, during EIGHTEEN MONTHS from the day of the date hereof, and that they have power to examine all such persons as come before them, on oath or affirmation, touching the complaints in question, and also to receive in evidence, all written testimony, authenticated in such manner as they shall think proper to require or admit.

By Order of the Commissioners,
PETER LOHRA,
Secretary.

Commissioners Office, No. 109, Mulberry-reet, Philadelphia, May 17th, 1797.

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To be Sold,

A large and convenient

Three Story Brick House;

SITUATE at the north-east corner of Arch and Fourth-streets. It contains eighteen rooms—and is in every respect well finished. For particulars enquire of

M. Keppele,
No. 138, Chesnut-street.

May 31. §

Maurice Moynihan,

No. 81, North Second-street,

A few doors above Arch-street,

INFORMS his friends and the public, that he has for wholesale or retail, on the lowest terms, a general assortment of Queen's Ware, gilt and cut tumblers, plain and flowered quart, pint, half pint, gill and half gill do. exact measures, decanters and wine glasses; gallon, half gallon, quart and pint bowls, and china in sets and separate; pocket bottles: Schuylkill and Jersey country quart and half gallon bottles; Dry Goods, &c. &c.

N. B. Crates put up with care at the shortest notice.

May 11 dtf

For Sale,

By Samuel Breck, jun. at his Compting-house, No. 89, South Third-street,

A quantity of the best

Boston mess Beef in whole and half barrels. fit for ship's use
Do. Pork do.
A quantity of Sherry Wine
A few Pipes Oil Proof Brandy, just landed from Bordeaux
Chocolate in Boxes
Rice, Cotton, Castile Soap, and
Four or five Bales large Orange Peels, &c.

May 27. co6t

COLUMBIA HOUSE

Boarding School for young Ladies.

MRS. GROOMBRIDGE with much pleasure and respect, returns her sincere acknowledgement for the liberal encouragement she has received during four years residence in Philadelphia; and assures her friends and the public, so far from intending to decline her school, she has made a superior arrangement for the more convenient accommodation of her scholars.—Every branch of useful and polite education is particularly attended to by Mrs. Groombridge and masters excelling in their respective professions.

Corner of Spruce and Eleventh Streets.

June 5th, 1797. §1mstf

The situation is perfectly healthy; and made more agreeable by an extensive garden and lot of ground adjoining the house.

Household Furniture.

NOW selling by private sale, No. 17 Dock-street—consisting of chairs, tables, looking-glasses, bureaus, hand and fire irons, bedsteads, feather-beds, carpets, bedding, window curtains, bed and table linen, kitchen furniture, &c. The whole in good order, and has only been a few months in use.

The sale to continue daily 'till the whole is sold.

June 2 §

A Quantity of Brandy,

FIRST & 2d proof,
Gin, of 4th proof, in pipes
Jamaica Spirits, 4th proof, in Hhds
Old Hock, in cases of 40 dozen each
Glass Tumblers, in pints and half-pints
Window Glass, in boxes, of different sizes
Hazlenuts, in sacks
Whiting
Copperas
White Lead } in hhds
& Spanish Brown

For Sale by

PETER BLIGHT.

January 4 §.

To be Sold at Public Vendue,

At the Merchants' Coffee house, in Philadelphia, on the 15th day of June, at 8 o'clock in the evening, if not before disposed of at private sale,

40,931 1-2 acres of land, on the waters of Wheeling and Fishing creeks, in Washington county, Pennsylvania. The soil is remarkably fertile; and besides a large body of meadow, there are considerable improvements on the premises. These lands were patented in 1787. On payment of part of the purchase money, a reasonable credit will be given for the residue. Enquire of the printer.

May 15. §tS

Post-Office, 23d May, 1797.

THE Mail for Baltimore will be closed at this office every morning (Sundays excepted) at half past 7 o'clock.

The Mail for Boston will be closed every day (Sundays excepted) at 12 o'clock noon; and

The Mail for Frederica, Milford, Clowes, Dagsborough, Delaware, Horntown, Accomack Court-House and Northampton Court-House, Virginia, will be closed every Monday morning at half past 7 o'clock.

May 23. *12t

Pennsylvania Population Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Shareholders, that a further assessment of fifteen dollars is levied on each share, payable in the following instalments—viz.

One quarter immediately.
One quarter on the 1st of June.
One quarter on the 1st September.
One quarter on the 1st Dec. next.

Which they are requested to pay to the Treasurer of the Company at the Company's Office, No. 53 north Fourth street, agreeably to the times above mentioned; and they are further informed that on their neglecting to pay the same as above directed, the several forfeitures directed by the Constitution, willl be exacted.

By order of the Board,
SOL. MARACHE,
Treasurer.

May 15 §1m

St. Andrew's Society.

AT a quarterly meeting of the St. Andrew's Society, held at the Golden Swan, last evening, the following gentlemen were unanimously elected members thereof:

Lord Henry Stewart,
The Honorable Thomas M'Donald,
Mr. William Alexander,
Capt. Duncan Rose,
Mr. James Thorbur,
Mr. James Stuart, jun.
Mr. William Gardner,
Mr. Samuel Campbell, of N. Y.

The treasurer, Mr. Shields, presented to the meeting the statement of the funds of the society; whereupon, it was

Resolved, that he be requested to continue his strenuous exertions to collect in the arrears due to the poor fund, and to make report of his success thereiu at the next quarterly meeting.

Richard Lake, Secretary.

June 1. 3P

Rose & Simson,

Have for Sale,

A QUANTITY OF PRIME

St. Domingo Cotton,

Superior Old Lisbon Wine in Pipes
Excellent India Market

Teneriffe Wine,

In Madeira Casks
A few Quarter Chests best
Fresh Hyson and } TEAS
Hyson Skin }
Muscovado Sugars in Hogsheads, and
Cossee in Tierces

March 7. ||tf

Just Received,

From Batavia (via Providence)
170 Sacks of Java Coffee of first quality
200 half sacks do. do.
A few Boxes of Spices, consisting of Nutmegs, Cloves and Mace
For sale by

WILLINGS & FRANCIS,
Penn-street.

may 30 dtf

Grattan and Comp'y.

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends, that they have imported from London per the ship Star, a large assortment of

PERFUMERY,

Which is now opened for sale at their House, No. 192 Market-street.

Also, a new assortment of ready-made gentlemen's linen, shirts from 2 dollars each, to 8 dollars, &c. &c. &c.

Ladies and gentlemen are accommodated with board and lodging at ten Dollars each.

Those Gentlemen who have their own private lodgings, may be accommodated with dinner only, by the week or month.

June 5 6t

Erskine's View of the War.

JUST PUBLISHED,

By ROBERT CAMPBELL & Co.
No 40 South Second street,
[Price 31 Cents]

A View of the Causes and Consequences of the present War with France.

By the Honorable THOMAS ERSKINE.

May 15 §

The subscribers, have for sale, the following Goods, viz:

OLD Madeira Wine, in pipes.
Port do. in pipes, hogsheads & qr. casks.
Malaga do. in hogsheads and qr. casks.
Sherry do. in quarter casks.
Claret do. of excellent quality, in bottles.
Russia Duck.
Do. Diaper and Huckaback.
Coarse Toweling.
Ising Glass, first sort.
Russia white Soap, cut in small bars.
Mould Candles, in boxes of 60lb weight.
London Porter, in bottles.
100 barrels of good beef.
A wrought-iron Book Case.

PHILIPS, CRAMOND & Co.

Philadelphia, 2d June, 1797. d.

Just Arrived,

In the schooner Dove, Captain Paul, from St Thomas, and for sale by the subscriber.

Muscovado Sugar in hhds. tierces and barrels.
St. Croix Rum in hhds.
And Laguira hides.

ALSO ON HAND,

Imperial, Hyson, and Hyson Skin Teas.	Sherry and Malaga Wines.
Yellow Nankeens.	Holland Gin in pipes.
Canton Cloth.	Do. Cheese.
Lutestrings.	Do. Glass ware.
Silk Handkerchiefs.	China Ware.
Sewing Silk.	Window Blinds.
Cotton in bales.	Rheubarb.
Peruvian Bark.	Quicksilver, &c.

JOSEPH SIMS.

May 22d. d14t.

For Sale,

ON board the ship MOLLY, John Frost, master from Liverpool, laying at Walnut-street wharf

6000 bushels of fine stoved Salt,

And QUEEN'S WARE, well assorted,

By PHILIP NICKLIN & Co.

WHO HAVE IN STORE, ALSO FOR SALE,

100 Boxes White Havanna Sugars
Imperial and } TEAS
Hyson }
17 tubs Quicksilver
2 chests Bandanno Handkerchiefs

A few chests Manchester Goods well assorted in corduroys, thicksets, ginghams, muslinets, dimities, &c. 2 Trunks black sewing silk,
180 Crates queens ware, well assorted,
10 Tons sheet lead,
Nails assorted, flat and sharp points,
London particular and } Madeira Wine in
India market } pipes and hhds.
30 pipes, 10 hhds. Teneriffe Wine,
10 pipes choice Port ditto,
31 casks yellow paint,
7 boxes 12 bundles writing slates,
1 box ink-stands & note presses,
Sail canvas assorted No. 1 à 8.

May 4. dtf

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE Tracts of Land,

IN the county of Glynn and state of Georgia, will be sold by public sale, at eight o'clock on the evening of Tuesday the 27th day of June next, at the Merchants Coffee-House in this city, unless previously disposed of by private sale.

1st. 7000 acres on St. Simons Sound at the confluence of Frederica and Turtle rivers, adjoining the commons of the town of Brunswick, originally granted to John Howell, and within 6 miles of the Atlantic ocean.

2d. 25,000 acres on the head waters of a branch of the great Sattilla, originally granted to Ferdinand O'Neal.

3d. 50,000 acres on the waters of the little Satilla river, and of Buffaloe and Alexanders Creeks; the great Satilla road passes through these lands, which were originally granted to Ferdinand O'Neal.

4th. 50,000 acres on the great Satilla river, which are also intersected by a branch of the little Satilla, and were originally granted to Thomas Spalding.

It appears by authentic certificates from Thomas Davis, surveyor, and from Major Hopkins now residing in Philadelphia, that the body of these lands are not thirty miles from the ocean, and principally within tide water; that the Alatamaha is navigable for boats and rafts two hundred miles above, and for large vessels within ten miles of them; that they are chiefly first rate pine lands, producing timber equal in quality to any in the state of Georgia, possessing the same advantages of navigation. The abovementioned certificates, together with the patents, drafts, and other papers respecting the title, which is complete and unincumbered, are in the possession of the subscribers and may be seen by applying to Benjamin R. Morgan, at No. 5, South 4th Street. The terms of payment will be one third cash, the remaining two thirds in good negotiable endors'd notes, payable in three and six months after the sale; a conveyance to be made to each purchaser on the payment of that moiety of the notes received from him which becomes first due.

THOMAS FITZSIMONS,
JEREMIAH PARKER,
BENJAMIN R. MORGAN.

Philadelphia, May 31, 1797. eodtf

Dutch Gunpowder.

A quantity of the best Dutch Gunpowder for sale by Samuel Breck, jun. No. 89, south Third-street.

May 27. co6t

The Subscriber,

Determined to retire from business, invites all who have any note, bill, bond or acceptance of his, now due, to call for payment; and those who wish to anticipate may receive the money at a reasonable discount.

JAMES SWAN.

May 22. d2w.

Dorchester, near Boston, 16th May 1797

Richard Bayley & Co.

Late JOHN WHITESIDES & Co.

No. 136 Market-street,

HAVE received per the ships William Penn and Star from London, a large and fashionable assortment of the following articles: viz.

Chintzes, and printed Cottons, of the newest patterns
Furniture Dimities and Chintzes
Ginghams, plain and figured,
Muslins, printed and embroider'd
Do. tambour'd, plain, check and strip'd
Do. tamboured, of a very superior quality
Fine Book, Jaconet and Decca Handkerchiefs
Dimities and muslinets
Damask table-linen, in setts and in the piece
Diaper ditto in Cloths and in ditto
Holland and Russia Sheetings
Loop'd Hollands and Irish Linens
Long Lawns and Cambrics
Sattins and Silks, plain and figured
Ribbons and Gloves
Crapes and Gauzes
Straw, Chip, and Paper Hats and Bonnets, new shapes
Fancy trimmings, &c.

With a variety of articles in the Linen-Drapery and Haberdashery line.

May 22 §2ot

NOW LANDING,

From on board of the ship GEORGE BARCLAY, Capt. CHARLES M'ALESTER, from Calcutta, the following GOODS, viz.

Ceffas	Punjum Cloths
Hummums	Gurrahs
Guzeenahs	India Calicoes
Emerties	Cotton Checks
Mamoodies	Mulmuls
Sahans	Red and Blue Bernagoo sikfs
Tickeries	Patna do.
Jollas	Santipore do.
Carridarries	Plain, striped and flowered fine muslins
Maragunges	Ginghams
Baftas, various sorts	Taffeties
Cut tin Romals	Bandanno red sks.

ALSO,

300 Casks Sugar
40 Boxes do.
165 Bags do.
70,000 lb. weight heavy black Pepper
40,000 lb. weight Ginger
20 Tons Hemp in Bales
9 Pipes East-India Spirits

For sale by PHILIPS, CRAMOND & Co.

May 4. dtf

Venereal Complaints,

PUNCTUALLY attended to in every stage of that disease, without the use of mercury or restraint of diet, in any case recent and simple. on application at No. 113, Chesnut-street, opposite the United States bank, or at No. 170, South Water-street, between Spruce and Pine-staeets, where he has opened an office for the better accommodation of his patients.

But in Lues Venerea confirmed, Doctor Morgan pledges himself, that no system of cure (however specious) can be effectual without mercury, and that all the known rules of practice for these two centuries past, and united experience affirms, that any substitute for it is but nugatory, and any mode of practice to the contrary must be futile and deceptious.

Nevertheless, he undertakes, however complicated the case, to effect a cure without inconvenience or injury to the patient's constitution, and in time not generally experienced or expected.

N B. Regular attendance at the office in Water-street, from the hour of nine o'clock in the morning until one, and from three o'clock in the evening until seven; but any other time at his dwelling house, in Chesnut-street.

May 16. dtf

Printed Calicoes.

JOHN MILLER, Jun. & Co.

No. 8 Chesnut-Street,

Have for Sale

FIFTY TRUNKS neatly assorted, very low on short credit.

March 6. §

Ezekiel Hall

HAS removed his Compting Room to Jones's Wharf, where he has for sale

24 hogsheads Cod Fish.

A store to let,

In Water-street, between Market and Arch-streets.

May 29. 6p

TO BE SOLD,

A valuable three story Brick House;

SITUATE in Lodge alley, next to the bank of Pennsylvania, the lot on which it stands, together with the vacant lot adjoining, which extends to Goforth-street. The house is about 50 feet in front on Lodge alley, and about 42 feet in depth, the adjoining lot is about 96 feet front on Lodge alley, and 42 feet on Goforth-street, being a street which leads from Chesnut-street and Carter's alley into Dock-street at the horse market. The house consists of ten lodging rooms, with six fire places, two dining rooms, one of them forty feet in length, the other about thirty-four feet, each containing two fire places, two parlours and a large kitchen, with extensive cellars under, and garrets over the whole, a privilege of a vacant lot of ground to the eastward between this house and the bank, a pump of excellent water in the yard, a handsome piazza fronting the vacant lot, and a frame stable and dwelling house on Goforth-street. The premises now rent for £.318 per annum. To be sold clear of all incumbrances.

For terms apply to *John Clement Stocker.*

April 20 3awtf

A Compting House to let.

THE Compting House formerly occupied by MR. John E. Caldwell, on Rose' wharf, will be vacant on 1st June—and for hire to any person who may apply for same. For terms enquire of the printer hereof.

May 31. co6p

The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA,
TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 6.

BY A CORRESPONDENT.

ON THE IMPUDENT CALUMNIES AGAINST
MESSRS. HARPER AND SMITH,

In the enemy's Newspapers

THAT VIRTUE's cause hath sure succeeded well,
And her friends' efforts plac'd her foes in Hell;
Needs little penetration quick to tell,
By their loud howl, and dire Cerberean yell.

For the Gazette of the UNITED STATES.

FARMER GILES declared a few days since, "that *Genet* had no party in America to support his measures, and that he was universally reprobated, except by *a few disorderly persons.*" A question arises who were the disorderly persons alluded to, and I think we may fairly conclude they were the members who composed the first *Jacobin Clubs* in this country, of which Mr. Genet was the founder and patron. Taking for granted that Mr. G's meaning was as supposed, it would be but fair to say who were the members of the societies in question; but as their meetings were always held *in private* and the names of *their patriots* in general concealed from the public, we can only have reference to what is contained in an extract from the minutes of *the first* or mother society, dated 3d July 1793 and published by their friend Bache.

"Officers of the Democratic Society for the "city and county of Philadelphia."

D. RITTENHOUSE, President.
Wm. COATS, C. BIDDLE, } Vice-Presidents.
ALEX. JAMES DALLAS, MICHAEL LEIB, DAVID JACKSON, J. HUTCHINSON, J. D. SERGEANT. } Committee of Correspondence.
ISRAEL ISRAEL, Treasurer.
P. St DUPONCEAU, JNO. PORTER, } Secretaries.

It has been said that the *worthy representative* from the city was admitted to the honors of the sitting, and that his colleague from the county succeeded to the presidential chair, but resigned it in a pet to citizen Bache, because a leading member, who, either from the want *of nerve*, or from having been disappointed in *a flour contract*, did not choose to go all lengths on some questions which were agitated respecting the western *insurrection*.

A CITIZEN.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1797.

A letter from the Attorney-General of Ireland, to George Hardinge, Solicitor-General to the Queen.

Dublin, Jan. 16th, 1797.

MY DEAR FRIEND,

Your letter, desiring the portraits of those *you call* the *great men* of Ireland, was duly attended to previous to the arrival of the French fleet, on board which there are supposed to have been many experienced artists, who, without the aid of the sculptor, would have *taken off* the *head* of any great man most expeditiously—however, as we were aware of their *sharp* practices, we had prepared some *capital* performers, called *yeomen*—so as to have insured the *engraving* of their whole army in case of landing. It is to be lamented that not a single *head was struck off*—particularly as the *first impressions* would have been inestimable. It would require a master's hand to give an adequate *picture* of Ireland on the late memorable occasion. The subject is worthy of the most *lively colours*; and I trust that *Irish colours* will never *fly*. We are all anxious for the Bridport squadron.

Your's truly.

Extract of a letter from Gibbon to Lord Sheffield, p. 605, dated 11th September, '83.

"The other day the French ambassador mentioned that the empress of Russia (a precious—) had postponed to ratify the principles of the armed neutrality by a definitive treaty, but that the *French*, obliging creatures! had declared that *they would neither propose nor accept an article so disagreeable to England.*"

Gibbon was secretary of embassy at Paris. The above anecdote is a curious fact, and proves what dupes the Americans would have been to have *gone to war with England*, as the *French faction* have long wished, *merely to compel England to ratify the principles of the armed neutrality, to please the French.*

Communication from Benjamin Shreve and James Laurason, merchants, Alexandria.

On Dr. PERKINS'S METALLIC INSTRUMENTS.

I have been a witness to an operation of Dr. Perkins's Metallic Points on my son, for the relief of epileptic fits. He has been subject to these fits for about eighteen months.

On the 23d day of the 4th month, he was seized with one, with entire loss of reason—his hands so clenched together by spasms, that the efforts of Mr. James Laurason, whose assistance I called in, and my own, could not open them. In this situation we applied Dr. Perkins's metallic instruments, one on each arm, from the elbow down to his hand, and, to our great surprise, his hands soon became perfectly lax, and opened with ease, and by continuing the operation on his head for a few minutes, he came to his reason and went to sleep, since which he has had no more signs of them.

On all former attacks they have continued half the night, and from twelve to twenty in number. Bleeding and other experiments have been used, but he was never before relieved of them so immediately. I am confident the Points effected the cure.

Conceiving it the duty of every friend to human happiness to encourage new and useful discoveries, I have stated the above

BENJAMIN SHREVE.

The subscriber was a witness to the above operation, and can testify to the facts as stated.

JAMES LAURASON.

Alexandria, 5th Month, 16th day, 1797.

AUTHENTIC AND INTERESTING.

Extract of a letter from Holland, February 23, 1797.

General Pinckney and his family have arrived here—on the other hand, Mr. Monroe has arrived in Paris, upon his return from his tour through this country. What was the cause of Mr. Pinckney's being ordered to leave France is yet unknown. But the conduct of the French government and its dependents, at the same time towards Mr. Monroe, and his conduct towards them, give serious uneasiness. The views and designs which these circumstances seem to indicate, are of a nature so important to the constitution, and even union of our country, that I cannot but feel anxious to discover how far they really extend; and cannot but observe, with concern, the apparent concert, of an internal American party with the present government of France, to overthrow that of the United States.

You will doubtless, before this reaches you, be informed of official communications made to the American minister, from this government, in the course of the last Autumn, wherein they formally, without disguise or hesitation, call upon the United States, to violate their treaty with Great-Britain, go to war with her, and make a *common cause* with the French and Batavian republics. Such, probably is still the intention of the French Directory. But, as at present they totally despair of affecting their purpose by negociating with our executive government, they will probably turn all their efforts towards the House of Representatives. The act of June 5, 1794, against which Adet complains so indecently, expires with the present session of Congress. This is the law of which Fauchet, in his dispatch, No. 3, says, that Randolph told him, "a bill had passed the House of Representatives, which wounded liberty." An indisputable proof of it is, the next clause of the dispatch, which represents Randolph as adding, "They have at least taken away the article, which prevents the sale of the French prizes in our ports."—Fauchet, in his plastering certificate, pretends, that this passage of his No. 3, refers to a conversation which he had with Randolph, in April 1794, and that it related to the political divisions in different parts of the United States, and a bill which gave the executive powers, that might be abused and wound liberty. The impudence with which this story is told, when the clause about taking away the article relative to the sale of prizes comes so immediately after, in the dispatch, is not one of the least curious particulars in the strange publication of Randolph. The clause about the sale of prizes was struck out on the 2d of June, 1794, and Fauchet certifies that the conversation was the April before. In fact, from the internal evidence of Fauchet's dispatch, compared with Adet's last note, it is clearly the 7th section of the act of June 5, 1794, which was so extremely obnoxious to Mr. Randolph, and at the same time is so to the French government. Under these circumstances, the attempt to pass an imposition upon the public as to the object of the conversation, is itself deserving of attention. Why was there any desire of disguise in this particular? Why but because Mr. Randolph's conferences with Mr. Fauchet, upon subjects to which the same 7th section naturally leads the contemplation, were such as it was judged unfit to disclose. This 7th section is indeed an important thing, and I am not a little curious to see how it will be treated in the House of Representatives when the law is to be continued; that is, in the course of the present session.

What expedition or enterprise there may be views of carrying on from the territories of the United States against the dominions of another sovereign, I am not qualified to say. France is at this time not only at peace, but in close alliance with Spain. But neither peace nor alliance are complete or effectual guards against projects of invasion or revolution. There is no doubt but that the French, in their negociation for peace with Spain, endeavored long to obtain a cession of Louisiana, and have since the peace been equally solicitous to receive it in exchange for the part of St. Domingo, which was ceded to them.—You will observe both in one of the Paris papers which I have lately sent, and in the Leyden Gazette, an article of news, published at Paris, as coming from Madrid, that an inevitable revolution is upon the point of taking place in Mexico; and that the people there will soon shake off the yoke of Spain. The pretence that this disposition is fomented by the English may be true or false, the material object of observation is the paragraph itself, and the quarter from whence it comes. You best will know, whether I am merely fanciful in combining it with Genet's arrival at Charleston, and his intended expedition at that period; together with the various other symptoms that have appeared down to a certain letter to colonel Thomas Fulham,* a North Carolinian, which I find in the American newspapers of the last summer, and to the return of the same colonel Fulham to France, immediately after the ratification of the treaty with Great-Britain. The part of the President's address to the people, applying particularly to the inhabitants of our western states and territory, indicates the evidence of a plan advanced to a considerable maturity. An obscure outline of a vast plan, calculated exactly for the French meridian, suitable at once to their ambition and their jealousy, discovers itself in these various incidents. If this plan really exists in the extent, which may be rationally suspected, the 7th section of the act of June 5, 1794, is a very important obstacle to views for conducting expeditions against the territories of a foreign power, with which we are at peace.

But however, that may be, it is certain there is another plan, with the success of which the other part of this section is totally incompatible; and that is, the plan for suspending totally the commerce between the United States and Great-Britain. This design, which ever since the middle of last summer, there has been strong and increasing reason for suspecting, is now in a manner openly avowed, notwithstanding all the ambiguity which pervades all their official papers on the subject, and which indicates nothing more than the view of retreating from the system, in case they should find it impracticable, with a pretence that they never adopted it.

To carry it into effect, they have two different modes of proceeding: the one, by producing a war between us and Great Britain; the other by making a sort of war upon us themselves, and forcibly intercepting all our navigation to and from British ports; at least as far as they can. But this 7th section is an impediment equally to both their processes. It prevents them from carrying on a privateering trade by means of our own citizens, which would be altogether inconsistent with neutrality; and which, if not suppressed, would at once harrass the commerce and provoke a state of hostilities: and at the same time, it takes from them the means of intercepting forcibly the navigation to and from British ports, by depriving them of the means of keeping a line of privateers along the whole extent of our own coast, which should be ready to meet every vessel which they should choose to stop, upon its entering into or issuing from the several ports. To them this is an essential object; for our navigation with British ports could not be forcibly interrupted, to a very material degree, but by arresting the vessels at the moment of departure or of arrival—This they cannot do in the European seas, because the British naval superiority keeps them generally clear, and a privateer or frigate seldom has a chance of picking up more than a single vessel or two, before it is itself taken. Neither can they do it upon the American coast, while they are prevented from fitting out their privateers in our own ports, and while our citizens find their property protected by the jurisdiction of our own tribunals. The consequences, therefore, of an unrenewed expiration of this law, are, in every point of view, so momentous, that I consider it as one of the principal purposes for which they are now undertaking to negociate with the House of Representatives against the Executive of the United States.

At present I am told here, that it is not desired that we should go to war with England; that it would not even be for the interest of France that we should. I have conversed, repeatedly, with the persons upon whom the principal executive functions for foreign affairs rest, and have urged to them the obvious and inevitable consequences to this country, of a war between the United States and either France or Great-Britain. Some of them, I have reason to believe, are alarmed. The merchants, the renters, have already perceived the effects of the mere prospect, which is threatened; and I know that they are alarmed. The disposition therefore here is right. I am even told that the French Directory will not pursue their system to an absolute rupture, and a *hint* has been given me, that Adet's powers will be renewed to discuss the differences which have arisen, or rather that the suspension of his functions will be removed. But all this may be intended merely as a cloak to conceal designs of hostility, and prevent a state of preparation to quarrel against them.

The measure of ordering Mr. Pinckney away, is so violent in its nature, that it is absolutely necessary to consider the Directory as determined upon proceeding to every extremity for the purpose of carrying their points in America. As it is unquestionable, that the ruin of our commerce and a war with Britain are involved in these points, I cannot suppose that the government of the United States will submit; and I must therefore recur to an idea which I have heretofore suggested—that *is*, the importance of a cool, moderate and candid statement to the world of the real situation of our differences with France. The notes of Adet, and most especially the speech of Barras to Mr. Monroe, when he delivered his letters of recal, start pretensions of superiority on the part of France, and of *dependence* on that of the United States, which must be refisted and refuted. Instead of which, it is painful to say it, Mr. Monroe himself in his speech gives them countenance and encouragement, by talking of generous assistance, which never was given, and which their own official documents have long since disproved.

The papers published by the British government concerning the negociation of Lord Malmesbury, serve in a great measure to shew the immediate system of France The dissolution of the German Empire is avowed as one of the objects. This plan which was checked by the disasters of their armies on the Rhine, the last autumn, appears by the capture of Mantua, to be resumed with new vigor. Italy seems to be secured to them beyond the reach of accident; the fate of the neutral states in that quarter, is as miserable as that of those which are parties in the war. Florence, Venice, and Genoa, by turns are required to supply money and provisions, no less than if they were in a state of complete hostility; and no sort of acquiescence or submission can remove the danger that is continually threatened, of revolutionizing the governments, and turning them into new, one and indivisible republics, allied and tributary to France.

A very large detachment from the Austrian army on the Rhine has marched into Italy, as likewise have considerable parts of the French armies; another struggle is to take place in that quarter which in all probability will terminate like the former. The Austrian forces like those of all the allied powers thro' this war, are apparently a formidable body; but a body rotten at the heart. Treachery pervades all their camps, or a languid indifference palsies every exertion. Yet it does not appear probable that the Emperor will yet make peace; because upon every success the French troops obtain, their government swells its political system and by the time when Austria will be ready to sacrifice the Netherlands, he will be required to consent also to the establishment of a republic formed upon his Italian dominions.

The troops which had been embarked for the expedition against Ireland, are coming to join the armies upon the Rhine, where it is now said the French are to take again their offensive position. I hear no more at present of the intention to send them again to sea. The Directory some days ago requested the Legislative Assembly to place thirty three millions of livres at the disposal of the minister of marine. I see they did allow him only twelve millions and an half; a sum large enough to squander or throw away, but not competent for much else.

My letters from France intimate great expectations of an improvement in the Legislative Assembly, and a more favorable prospect for peace after the new elections, which are to be compleated about the 20th of next month. I have not for my own part, the least idea, that they will produce any material alteration.

They are still debating the constitution here. It will probably take them a month or six weeks longer. A riot or insurrection in Friesland has been suppressed, by killing and wounding about a dozen of the rioters.

* The writer mistakes the name—it is Fulton.

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

THURSDAY, MAY 24.

(MR. GALLATIN'S SPEECH CONTINUED)

But a question has been indirectly made by gentlemen, whether it is proper to offer to place France on the same footing with other nations; this question had indeed been already so well answered, that there was little left for him to add; and it might be resolved into the question, what is the law of nations? Because if there is a precise law of nations, that belongs to all, and must be mutual; this has been discussed in the merits of the armed neutrality, which whether it contained truly or not the fixed law of nations was accepted as that permanent law by America in the midst of her Revolution, when it was above all other seasons the least her interest so to recognize it, and which, if there was a doubt, she would have been justified in acting upon to her own salvation and benefit; in like manner the Treaty of 1778 was concluded; but the gentleman from S. Carolina (W. Smith) had insisted and the Secretary of State in his letter to Mr. Pinckney had endeavoured to argue,—that it was not meant to be permanent;—their arguments had been already so pointedly refuted by a gentleman from N. York (Mr. Livingston) that he had to add only one conclusive fact; the gentleman had asserted that the armed neutrality had ceased to operate upon the termination of the war; now if it should be found that one power had entered into that coalition and recognized the principles thereof as a permanent law, the gentleman's conclusions fell at once to the ground; the gentleman had argued that the convention of armed neutrality was not to be permanent, and the Secretary of State had supported or rather broached the same opinion—what does that document itself declare—"These stipulations shall be further considered as *permanent*, and shall decide in *all matters* of commerce and navigation; and in short, in *every case* where the rights of neutral nations are to be determined"—To this article he would only add this plain fact, which he fonnd recorded in the history of the armed neutrality, which had been quoted by gentlemen, that in the year after the conclusion of the war, Portugal had formally acceded to that convention; its provisions concern shipping, and we see a maritime power acceding to it in the tranquil moments of peace, and agreeing to it as the permanent law of nations; and it is upon our accession to the principle while we were ourselves at war, and when its acceptance was in opposition to our interest but conformable to our love of justice, and upon our subsequent recognition of it as well in the case of our Treaty with France as with others, that we are now bound to put France upon an equal footing with those to whom we have since relinquished the principle. He did not know any treaties of other nations in which the same principle had not been recognized, unless it was in an instance mentioned of Russia having combined with England to do it away for the temporary end of starving France into a surrender—or as was the fashionable expression, of blotting her out of the map of Europe; Denmark and Sweden indeed had in some measure given way to the necessity of the times by declaring that they would abide by none but generally received laws, and in this they no doubt acted with a prudence that could not be blamed; and it was right under a pressure as urgent that the United States had pursued a corresponding conduct; and if right in these powers it could not be said to be wrong only in the case of France, who being willing to maintain it, cannot find the other powers ready or able to render the support mutual and general; but it had been said that America was not bound by her Treaty with France, not to make this relinquishment to Britain; as a foreign nation unquestionably she had a right to treat as she pleased, and no other nation had a right to interfere in the acts of her sovereignty; but was it right to acknowledge it in opposition to the law of nations, and to grant it without an equivalent from the only nation that had before denied that law; it should have been the *sine qua non* in our negociation with Britain, not of war, but a *sine qua non* of negociation; it would have been our interest & our duty not to abandon the principle, even tho' our strength did not allow us to support the execution, and we should have left past depredations to have been amicably compensated, but asserted strenuously our security for the future—this is a real effectual, and not such a fictitious security as we have now obtained; the mischiefs of an abandonment of the principle, is to us of immense magnitude.

On the contraband article, the gentleman from S. Carolina had found Vattel, who was every thing in all other cases, completely void of authority, although Great Britain agrees with Vattel; but how is France to be contemned for her maintenance of the doctrine against Britain; the only way to obviate the difficulty is by placing her on the same footing as France in this respect, and specially stipulating that the principle is not abandoned, but granted for a period co-existent to each of the powers; this will be a lesser evil, but there is little to be derived from either party, and when two powers are at war, when we are not able to enter into extensive hostility, we had better incur a disadvantage where there is no dishonour, than insist upon objects of subordinate value, which may be in more auspicious times retrieved.

It had been said, we should not offer France an ultimatum; he had not heard one reason to shew the bad consequences of such a step; he was for giving an ultimatum, and for this very plain reason, because every thing that could be known on this subject by either party was already perfectly understood, but more particularly because Mr. Pinckney informs us, the people of France entertain an opinion that we are divided;—which though true in some cases, would put us on such ground as to shew that on the true national points we were united to a man. Those who oppose it on the ground of concession, would do well first to shew that what we ought and are certainly willing to allow, can be so considered.

If this amendment should be rejected, or at least the spirit of it should not be adopted, can it be expected that gentlemen who formerly opposed and disapproved of the measures of administration, will sacrifice their opinions, as has been insinuated they should; can it be expected that after the clamour which has been raised with the obvious intention to overawe us; after the Executive has been put up as a kind of shield to stand between us and the truth, and to protect their arguments and irritating measures from animadversion; that we should not rather be the more alarmed for ourselves, and more fixed to such measures as we are convinced are just; he had always spoken freely, and he would continue so to do, always preserving due respect for others.

[To be continued.]

MONDAY, June 5.

The Journals of the Proceedings of Saturday having been read.

Mr. NICHOLAS supposed there was an omission, as no mention was made of the resolutions which had been bro't forward by the gentleman from South Carolina, after the doors had been closed, and which it had been determined were not of a nature to require secrecy.

Mr. W. SMITH said the vote which had been taken only related to a part of what he had brought forward.

Mr. NICHOLAS said he understood that the letter which he had produced was a private letter, and therefore it was not necessary to notice it.

Mr. GALLATIN observed that no distinction had been made. If the letter could be considered as part of the communication, it was also included in the vote, as it was simply that the communication did not require secrecy.

Mr. MACON thought the resolutions stood upon the same ground as that upon which a motion is offered to the House, upon which no decision was made, which was never recorded until it was taken up.

Mr. THATCHER concurred in opinion.

Mr. NICHOLAS was still of opinion an entry ought to have been made in the Journals and moved to amend them.

The question was put, and there appeared 41 votes in favour of it, and 41 against it, the Speaker decided it in in the negative.

The House then resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the state of the Union, Mr. Dent in the Chair, and the speech of the President at the opening of the session having been read,

Mr. W. SMITH said he wished to lay upon the table a number of resolutions, which it appeared, if it should not be found advisable to carry the whole of them into effect, were at least worthy of discussion. He did not, however, at present pledge himself to support the whole: they were as follow: *See yesterday's Gazette.*

The resolutions having been read from the chair,

Mr. W. SMITH moved the first of them.

Mr. MACON wished the gentleman from South Carolina to inform the committee whether he meant to repair all the fortifications which had heretofore been contemplated—Perhaps some might be necessary, but he thought, considering the present state of our finances, few of them ought to be attended to. Much of the money already expended on this subject had been thrown away. He particularly mentioned New-York.

Mr. W. SMITH thought the gentleman han been long enough a member of that house to know, that when they were about to settle the principle of a thing, that it was not usual to go into details. If the resolution was agreed to, a committee would be appointed, who would report such fortifications as it appeared to them necessary to be attended to, with an estimate of the expence, upon which the house would determine; or a sum of money might be voted, and leave it to the President to employ it as appeared to him best; but this was not the question, but merely whether a farther sum of money should be voted for this object.

Mr. THATCHER thought they were not ripe for this subject, as they did not know what was the state of the different fortifications. He thought as there were a number of propositions, in some degree connected, that it was desirable that they should be printed; he therefore moved that the committee might rise to give time for this to be done.

Mr. GILES wished the gentleman would reverse his propositions, and let the one for raising money come first. He did not know whether they were prepared to meet this expence. He did not mean to oppose the present motion; he supposed it would pass. But he thought they were about to be too precipitate in their measures. At a time when all Europe seemed to be tired of the war, and about to make peace, we seemed to be disposed to rush into it. He did not believe that much good would be done by this system of fortification. He did not think the United States were more secure now, than before they had a single work of the kind. We have, said he an extensive sea coast, and it was not to be expected that an enemy would chuse to come to precisely the place where a fortification stands. It was his opinion that the interests of the country would be served, by letting this matter lie over till the next session.

Mr. WILLIAMS obſerved that the ſenſe of the committee would be firſt taken upon the propriety of going into the meaſure; if there was a majority in favor of it (and he could not doubt it) the matter would be referred to a ſelect committee, who would make their report upon it.

Mr. S. SMITH was in favour of going into this meaſure; for if the war continued in Europe, he thought it probable we might be drawn into it.

Mr. SWANWICK ſhould not be oppoſed to the preſent motion, becauſe he agreed with the gentleman from Maryland, that whilſt the war continued in Europe there was a probability of this country being drawn into the vortex. But he thought there was ſome weight alſo in the obſervation of the gentleman from Virginia, with reſpect to the ways and means; becauſe if, after they ſhould agree to carry into effect certain meaſures, they ſhould diſagree about the means their time would have been ſpent to no purpoſe.

The queſtion was put and carried, there being 62 votes in favour of it.

Mr. W. SMITH moved the ſecond Reſolution.

Mr. NICHOLAS wiſhed to know whether the proviſion already made for *completing* the three frigates was not ſufficient?

Mr. W. SMITH ſaid he had no information on the ſubject; he had inſerted the word *completing* as well as *manning*, leſt there ſhould be any deficiency.

Mr. OTIS was not prepared, in ſo rapid a way, to preſs reſolutions of this importance, without having them printed, or time to deliberate upon them. If he voted for theſe reſolutions, he ſhould conſider himſelf as pledged to carry them into effect. He therefore, hoped the committee would riſe.

Mr. MACON was oppoſed to this reſolution. He did not believe that ſeamen could be got to man the veſſels, as nearly four times the price was paid for ſeamen's wages that was paid when the law for building theſe veſſels paſſed.

Mr. RUTLEDGE was in favor of the committee's riſing.

Mr. NICHOLAS had no objection to the committee's riſing, if gentlemen wiſhed it; if ſo, he hoped the reſolution agreed to would be reported. He wiſhed the principle of the different reſolutions, however, to be ſettled in a committee of the whole.

Mr. CRAIK, Mr. CLAIBORN, Mr. VARNUM, and Mr. COIT were in favor of the committee's riſing.

Mr. SWANWICK thought it would be beſt that a committee ſhould be appointed to report on the buſineſs.

Mr. S. SMITH ſaw no reaſon for the committee's riſing, becauſe if gentlemen were not prepared to vote upon this reſolution, they might go on to others. Tho' he ſhould vote in favour of this propoſition, he ſhould not hold himſelf bound to vote ultimately for the bill, if he diſliked it.

The motion for the committee to riſe was withdrawn, and afterwards renewed by Mr. M'DOWELL, who alſo withdrew it, on a ſuggeſtion from Mr. LIVINGSTON that the reſolution would be leſs objectionable to run, "that a committee be appointed to enquire into the propriety of &c. and when the committee had the buſineſs referred to them, they could poſſeſs themſelves of all the neceſſary facts, and report them to the houſe.

Mr. GALLATIN ſaid, if the queſtion was to determine the principle of manning the frigates, the reſolution ſtood right as it was; but if it were not intended, by adopting this reſolution, to commit any man, but only to ſay, that they would take the buſineſs into conſideration, and if found uſeful and neceſſary, and funds were attainable, they would carry it into effect, then the amendment of the gentleman from New-York (Mr. Livingſton) would be proper. As to the committee's riſing, he could ſee no ground for it, as theſe propoſitions were not new they had had them before them for three weeks in the ſpeech of the Preſident; of courſe, ſo far as related to the frigates, gentlemen muſt have formed an opinion, yet he agreed that it was deſirable to ſee ſome documents on the ſubject, before a decided affirmative or negative was given. He was therefore in favour of the Amendment for a committee to be appointed. He wiſhed all thoſe ſubjects which were of a doubtful nature to be thus determined. On the other hand, thoſe upon which members were ready to [illegible] at once, either by an acceptance or rejection, might be voted upon in the form in which they were introduced.

Mr. PARKER read the motion which was entered into laſt year, and thought it would be a good model for the preſent.

Mr. W. SMITH was of a different opinion: he thought the committee ſhould firſt decide the abſtract principle. He thought it would be wrong to refer to a ſelect committee a buſineſs in which every member was ſo intimately intereſted, and he doubted not gentlemen were ready to decide upon this abſtract queſtion. With regard to expenſe, he was of opinion, that if the ſituation of the country required it, that ſhould be no object, If gentlemen though: differently, they would of courſe negative the propoſition. Any information on the ſubject, could be got before the buſineſs was finiſhed. He thought they ſhould firſt ſay what were the neceſſary objects of expenſe, and then provide the money, which might be done by borrowing or by taxes. If there was a neceſſity for the expenſe, there was no doubt the money would be raiſed. If gentlemen were not prepared to diſcuſs the ſubject, he had no objection to the committee's riſing, and, in the Houſe, the Secretary at War, might be called upon for information.

Mr. NICHOLAS thought the queſtion was not fairly preſented. It was whether they ſhould man the frigates. But when they were called upon to determine this; they ſhould know when they would be ready to receive the men. The probability was, that the frigates would not be ready to receive the men before the next ſeſſion of Congreſs.

Mr. DAYTON (the ſpeaker) was in favour of the original propoſition. He wiſhed to provide for manning all the frigates which could be got ready before the next ſeſſion of Congreſs. He believed if they adopted this plan, unneceſſary delay would be prevented.

Mr. PARKER was ready to vote for the propoſition of the gentleman from S. Carolina. He believed the frigate in Philadelphia, might be equipped, rigged and manned in three months. The only reaſon why he varied his motion was that he might include the next propoſition; but he believed it would be better for them to ſtand ſeparate, as before he voted for the additional veſſels, he ſhould wiſh to know how the means were to be got, and for what purpoſe they were to be uſed. The veſſel at Boſton, he ſaid, would not be ready ſo ſoon, but it would be in readineſs before the next meeting of Congreſs; that at Baltimore would be in readineſs to receive her men in four months,

Mr S. SMITH ſaid, the frigate building at Baltimore, would be launched on the 4th of July, and the equipments were in greater forwardneſs than thoſe for the frigate at Philadelphia.

Mr. BALDWIN was againſt referring this propoſition to a ſelect committee. It would be deſirable, indeed, to know what the coſt of doing the buſineſs would be, but every one knew how little to be relied upon were eſtimates of this kind. He was ready to vote for manning of the frigates; indeed, there was no queſtion upon which he was ſo ready to ſay *aye*, as upon this.

The queſtion was about to be put on Mr. Livingſton's motion, when

Mr. VARNUM ſaid he thought the wording of the reſolution improper, as the word *completing* would claſh with the act of laſt ſeſſion.

The queſtion was put and negatived, 50 to 34.

Mr. Macon wiſhed the frigates to be completed, but not manned, he therefore moved to ſtrike out the words "and manning."

The queſtion was put and negatived—there being only 24 votes in favor of it.

Mr. Giles moved to ſtrike out the word "completing;" but, after ſome converſation, the motion was withdrawn, and the original reſolution was carried.

The third propoſition next came under conſideration.

Mr. Nicholas hoped the gentleman who introduced this motion would tell them for what purpoſe theſe additional veſſels were wanted. He ſuppoſed this reſolution to be connected with the next, and if ſo, he thought they ſhould be conſidered together. What, he aſked, were to be the inſtructions given to the commanders of theſe veſſels? He thought it a very embarraſſing buſineſs, and one that would certainly lead to war; nay, indeed, the thing ſeemed to be a war operation in itſelf.

Mr. W. Smith wiſhed the gentleman had made his enquiries before. They would have come more properly when the frigates were under conſideration, as the ſame objection would lie againſt both; as the next reſolution had no more connection with this than with that already agreed to. The gentleman ſeemed to have let go the opportunity of calling upon him; as, however, he did not wiſh to evade his call, (tho' he was not willing to ſay he would himſelf vote for the meaſure) he would ſay, that it appeared to him, from the preſent ſtate of the commerce of this country, to be neceſſary to provide convoys for our veſſels These veſſels might not, indeed, be employed as a regular convoy, but partly confined to the coaſts and harbours. This was a ſeparate queſtion; or it might be left to the executive to employ them as he might ſee proper. He was not, however, ready to give an opinion on the ſubject. He roſe principally to remark upon what had fallen from the gentleman laſt up, as to employing a convoy being an act of war He owned he had not looked deeply into the ſubject at preſent, but he recollected in our treaty with Sweden, there was a ſtipulation, that when both powers were neutral, they ſhould protect each other's commerce.

Mr. Giles thought this a very extraordinary meaſure. He called the attention of the committee to the critical ſituation of Europe, and thought, before they went into any expenſive operations, they ſhould wait the iſſue of the negociation, eſpecially as he ſuppoſed it was probable a full ſeſſion might be neceſſary. It had been ſaid ſeveral of the ports in the Weſt Indies were in a blockaded and rebellious ſtate. He did not ſuppoſe it was the intention of the committee, by means of a convoy, to preſs a trade to thoſe ports; this would be a certain means of provoking war. He thought they ought to make a pauſe—as it was probable that in leſs than four months from this time they might again be in ſeſſion, and, in the mean while, the affairs of Europe might have taken ſuch a turn as to do away the neceſſity of going into hoſtile meaſures.

Mr. NICHOLAS expected the gentleman from South Carolina would have acknowledged that the two reſolutions were connected. Indeed he muſt have intended theſe veſſels to be employed in this way, or ſuch a reſolution would not have been introduced. With reſpect to Sweden's treaty for a reciprocal convoy, there was ſome ground for it, as there was a difference betwixt the northern powers of Europe as to the principle of free ſhips making free goods—but where there was no difference as to principle, no ſuch thing could take place.

Mr. GALLATIN ſaid the preſent reſolution was certainly in ſome degree connected with the next. It was underſtood that the purchaſing of frigates and ſloops of war was for the purpoſe of convoying our trade. Under the preſent circumſtances of this country he ſhould be oppoſed to this propoſition; not that he denied the right of neutral powers to afford convoys to their merchants' veſſels; but becauſe under preſent circumſtances it was impolitic to adopt the meaſure, not only for the reaſons urged by the gentleman from Virginia, but on account of our ſituation with reſpect to France at the preſent moment. By our treaty with France enemy property was to be reſpected on board American veſſels, and certain articles uſed in the building of ſhips were exempted from the liſt of contraband; the Preſident would of courſe be obliged to give orders to have our veſſels protected in this ſituation, and who could not ſee that this would be the ſource of war? And if the convoy were not to be employed to enforce theſe two privileges, he did not ſee what uſe it could be of. He knew that depredations without number had been committed in the Weſt-Indies; but he was led to believe they were done by pirates rather than by any other veſſels. But ſuppoſe it were practicable to diſtinguiſh betwixt piratical and regular captures, yet, he muſt confeſs, he would not be for running the riſk of a rupture, by ſending out armed veſſels to conteſt the point, eſpecially when we have reaſon to believe that theſe attacks are unauthorized by the French Government

Mr. G. thought it would be neceſſary to extend our navy in caſe of war only; and were this unhappily to be our ſituation, veſſels might eaſily be purchaſed without delay: but whilſt we were at peace, he did not think the advantages which could be derived from a convoy, would be a ſufficient inducement to go into the meaſure. Beſides he was induced by another motive to give this propoſition his negative. He knew the depredations on our commerce had been great; but he did not look upon this loſs as fallen only upon merchants. There was not an individual who did not bear a part of it. For inſtance, if a merchant paid 10 or 15 per cent. additional upon his cargo, he will put a proportionably high price upon his commodities, which muſt eventually be paid by the conſumer. Therefore, ſo far as an argument might be drawn from this circumſtance, it became a queſtion of expediency, and he thought it would be granted that the loſs to individuals would be leſs in this way than if they had to ſupport a navy to protect our trade.

Mr. W. SMITH acknowledged there was conſiderable weight in the arguments of the gentleman from Pennſylvania, though he did not find ſufficient to induce him to change his opinion. The gentleman from Virginia had endeavoured to ſhew that as there was no difference of opinion as to principle betwixt France and this country, the regulations entered into with Sweden did not apply; whilſt the gentleman from Pennſylvania had produced arguments to ſhew that we were in that ſituation. With reſpect to the treaty articles in diſpute, it would be an eaſy matter, Mr. S. ſaid, for the Preſident to give the commanders of our veſſels proper inſtructions on that head. And would any gentleman ſay it was not right to defend our veſſels againſt pirates? Would not the French ſay, if they were applied to for redreſs, "You knew theſe were pirates, why did you not defend yourſelves againſt them?" The expenſe, which ſeems ſo much to alarm gentlemen, ſhould be put out of the queſtion, ſaid he: if your property is unjuſtly attacked, will you defend it?

But it was ſaid the loſs did not fall upon the merchant, but upon the conſumer. Mr S. aſſented it fell upon the country; and ſo far from the expenſe of the propoſed armament being equal to the loſs ſuſtained by captures, it would not, in his opinion, be a tenth part of the amount; for whatever the plunderers got, this country loſt. Mr. S. ſaid he had made a rough calculation of what would be the expenſe of three frigates of 36 guns, and 6 ſloops of war of 16 guns, and found it to be 926,000 dollars, including the equipment and manning for one year.

But, ſaid Mr. S. does not the farmer ſuffer by theſe ſpoliations? He certainly does; for, if the merchant was obliged to pay an extravagant inſurance, he would give the leſs for the farmer's produce; but, added he, the expenſe of the frigates, will be no loſs to the country, as, if they coſt a million of dollars, the whole will be paid to our own citizens, every article uſed in the building of theſe veſſels being the produce of the United States.

But gentlemen complain of our impatience in the buſineſs; he thought the wrongs we had ſuffered ſufficient to rouſe our reſentment. It was alſo ſaid, that there was a probability of peace, and why go on with this expence? But he might as well ſay, there was no probability of peace. One ſuppoſition would ſtand againſt the other. Indeed, who knew that the Czar of Ruſſia would not join the coalition againſt France. A hope of peace, therefore, was not a ſufficiently ſtable ground upon which to calculate. We muſt, ſaid he, either interdict all trade, ſuffer merchants veſſels to arm, or go into the meaſure propoſed.

But it was ſaid that France had declared certain Britiſh ports in the Weſt Indies blockaded and in a ſtate of rebellion, and therefore, we muſt not trade with them, but he did not know why our veſſels ſhould be ſubject to be taken, and our ſeamen to be hung, becauſe they choſe to make theſe declarations. Declarations, which he truſted this country would never acknowledge.

What, ſaid Mr. S. will be the conſequence of negociating without taking any meaſure of defence? It will put it in the power of France to make requiſitions on us to any amount ſhe pleaſes, ſhe may ſpin out the negociation, by throwing difficulties in the way of it; ſhe may take all our veſſels; and, when ſhe has drained us of all our wealth, it will be ſaid, *we muſt ſubmit.*—Where will then be your privateers? Your veſſels are taken, and your ſeamen gone!

The gentleman from Pennſylvania admitted the right of neutral powers to convoy their veſſels: That gentleman put the matter upon the expediency of the thing, which was the true ground upon which he wiſhed to have it diſcuſſed.

Mr. Giles ſaid the gentleman from South Carolina talked of defenſive meaſures, but his plans were offenſive. That gentleman had undertaken to doubt the right of France to declare her ports, Rebel ports. Was this defenſive? Every nation had this right. It was not long ſince Great Britain exerciſed it againſt us. Yet, aided by a convoy, he wiſhed to puſh our trade to theſe ports. This would not only be hazarding the peace of the country, but taking the direct road to war.

Mr. Baldwin ſaid, in all their determinations, with reſpect to a naval force, however great the emergency, it had always been determined to build, rather than to purchaſe veſſels, and he ſaw no reaſon from departing from this mode, in the preſent inſtance.

After ſome objections from Mr. W. Smith to the building plan, which he ſaid would take three or four years to furniſh the propoſed veſſels, whereas merchants veſſels might be immediately purchaſed, which would anſwer the purpoſe of ſmall frigates, the Committee roſe, reported the two reſolutions, which the Houſe took up and agreed to, and Committees were appointed to report upon them by bill or otherwiſe.

A meſſage was received from the Senate, with two bills which had paſſed that Houſe, viz. a bill for prohibiting for a limited time, the exportation of arms and ammunition, and encouraging the importation thereof; and a bill to prevent citizens of the United States from privateering againſt nations in amity with, or againſt citizens of the United States. Both which were twice read, and committed to Committees of the Whole to-morrow. Adjourned.

The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA,
TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 6, 1797.

The brig Mary, Capt. Ward, arrived at New York. left the Texel the 29th March,—there lay 23 ſail of French and Dutch men of war ready for ſea; there was that day off the Texel 21 ſail of Engliſh men of war, cruizing within 3 leagues of the land.

The 4th of April, in the Streights of Dover, was brot too and boarded by a Engliſh frigate, treated with politeneſs and ordered to proceed on the voyage, lat. 46, lon. 20, 00.

April 13, was brot too and boarded by a French ſhip of 16 guns, after a chaſe of 28 hours—took the Captain and two hands on board, examined the papers, and found them to be agreeable to an act of the Convencion of France; treated them with politeneſs, and detained them two hours, and then ordered them to proceed on their voyage. The Commanding Officer told Cap. Ward that he ſhould take every American veſſel bound to or from America, whoſe papers were not arranged agreeable to the act of the Convention.

April 11, the ſame ſhip captured the brig Juno, Capt. Walker, and ſhip Charlotte, both ſailed in company from Charleſton, the brig was bound to Hamburg, the ſhip to Bremen, and ſent them into Breſt—the Captains and crews was on board the ſhip, priſoners at large. They told Captain Ward the reaſon of their ſending the two veſſels into France, was for want of the great ſeals of the United States, and of the Convention of Frauce, being on their certificates of the liſt of men belonging to their veſſels—all veſſels that are not manned with real ſubjects of the United States, are ſubject to be ſent into France and confiſcated.

May 11, long. 55, W. lat. 42, 30, N. ſpoke the ſnow Dublin Packet, of and for New York, from Havre-de-Grace, out 96 days, loſt her main boom.

May 26, ſpoke brig American Hero, of and from N. York, bound to Cadiz, all well.

Appointments by authority.

The Preſident of the U States, by and with the advice and conſent of the Senate, has appointed

CHARLES C. PINCKNEY, of S. Carolina,
FRANCIS DANA, of Maſſachuſetts,
JOHN MARSHALL, of Virginia,

Envoys Extraordinary and Miniſters Plenipotentiary to the Republic of France.

COMMUNICATION.

The people approve of the government—a great majority of the Repreſentatives of the people in Congreſs, after three weeks oppoſition on the part of the oppoſers of the adminiſtration, have ſolemnly aſſured the Preſident of the United States, that they "believe that the conduct of the government has been juſt and impartial towards foreign nations." In this ſtate of things, the Executive is maligned by the tools of a foreign faction, becauſe men are appointed on a miſſion to France who are known to be attached to the government and its adminiſtration. Maligned—Nay, charged with the infamous deſign of involving the country in war, while profeſſing to be friends of peace! It is impoſſible that the machinations of this faction ſhould deceive the people. Such deteſtable inſinuations muſt be ſpurned with horror. We truſt the practice of nurturing an oppoſition to our Government by appointing to office ſecret or open enemies to the Conſtitution, will never be adopted. At the preſent moment this is the game the faction is playing—The Government, equally with the People, muſt deſire peace; it is not poſſible always to command it—every meaſure will moſt aſſuredly be adopted that is conſiſtent with the honor, rights, duties and intereſt of the country, to enſure the invaluable bleſſing. But to ſend perſons of equivocal characters, or ſuch as from their predilection for France would ſacrifice the Independence of the United States, will never take place.

PRICES OF STOCKS.

PHILADELPHIA, MAY 22.

6 per Cent. 16/10
Deferred 6 per Cent. 12/9 à 13/
5½ per Cent.
4½ per Cent.
3 per Cent. 10/3 á 6

BANK SHARES.

Bank United States, 18 á 20 per cent. advance.
Pennſylvania, 25 á 27 1-2
North America, 47½ 50

INSURANCE COMPANY SHARES.

I. C. of N. A. 35 à 37 ½ per cent. advance.
Pennſylvania, at par.

New-York, June 5.

ARRIVED.	DAYS.
Brig Dublin Packet, Clay, Havre-de-Grace	69
Iphigenia, Thompſon, New-Orleans	20
Love, Orchglad, Nantz	69
Sch'r Mary and Eleanor, Patterſon, Halifax	20
Americana, Bell, Wilmington,	6
Fair Trader, Oſborn, N. Carolina	5
Sloop Brimo, Burr, Charleſton	8

Captain Oſborn, laſt Thurſday, in lat. 37, 8, ſailed twice round a brig or ſhip, bottom upwards, but could not diſcover her name; ſhe had a hole cut in her bottom large enough for the admiſſion of a man—her ſtern painted blue.

The D, Foreſter, from London to New-York, is taken and carried into Morlaix.

Captain Thompſon, in lat. 39, was boarded by the Thetis, captain Cochran, company with the Topaz, on a cruize. Off the Coxcombs, was boarded by a Spaniſh 44, in company with two others.

The ſhip Sally of New Bedford from Hamburg to Havre de Grace, about the firſt of March, was ſtranded near the harbor of Oſtend: the captain, wife and child, with the crew loſt: Part of the cargo ſaved after the Sale.

The Commiſſioners

FOR carrying into effect the ſixth article of the treaty of amity, commerce and navigation, concluded between his Britannic majeſty and the United ſtates of America, on the 19th day of November, 1794, having this day conſtituted their Board,—purſuant and agreeably to the ſaid treaty, do hereby give notice, that they are ready to proceed to buſineſs accordingly; and they deſire that all claims under the ſaid article (which ſo far as the ſame deſcribes the caſes thereby provided for, is hereunto annexed) may be lodged with their Secretary without delay.

They further deſire that all ſuch claims may not only ſtate in what manner the ſeveral caſes come within the deſcription of the ſaid article, but alſo eſpecially ſet forth the nature of the evidence by which the claimants reſpectively undertake to ſubſtantiate the ſame.

Extract from the ſaid article,

"Whereas it is alledged by divers Britiſh merchants, and others his majeſty's ſubjects, that "debts to a conſiderable amount, which were bona "fide contracted, before the peace, ſtill remain "owing to them by citizens or inhabitants of the "United States; and that by the operation of va"rious lawful impediments, ſince the peace, not "only the full recovery of the ſaid debts has been "delayed, but alſo the value and ſecurity thereof "have been in ſeveral inſtances impaired and leſſ"ened, ſo that by the ordinary courſe of judicial "proceedings, the Britiſh creditors cannot now "obtain and actually have and receive full and "adequate compenſation for the loſſes and dama"ges which they have thereby ſuſtained: It is a"greed that in all ſuch caſes where full compenſa"tion for ſuch loſſes and damages cannot for what"ever reaſon be actually obtained, had and recei"ved by the ſaid creditors in the ordinary courſe "of juſtice, the United States will make full and "complete compenſation for the ſame to the ſaid "creditors: but it is diſtinctly underſtood, that "this proviſion is to extend to ſuch loſſes only as "have been occaſioned by the lawful impediments "aforeſaid, and is not to extend to loſſes occaſion"ed by ſuch inſolvency of the debtors or other "cauſes, as would equally have operated to pro"duce ſuch loſs, if the ſaid impediments had not "exiſted; nor to ſuch loſſes or damages as have "been occaſioned by the manifeſt delay, or negli"gence, or willful omiſſion of the claimant."

By order of the Board,
GRIFFITH EVANS,
Secretary.

Philadelphia, Commiſſioners' Office,
No. 3 ſouth Sixth-ſtreet, May 29,
1797. J 6—3tm

NOTICE.

THE partnerſhip of William Young, John Mills, and John Mills, jun. Bookſellers and Stationers, under the firm of W. Young, Mills and Son, is this diſſolved by mutual conſent. All perſons indebted to the copartnerſhip are requeſted to make payment to William Young, and thoſe having demands are deſired to produce their accounts for ſettlement.

William Young,
John Mills,
John Mills, jun.

Philadelphia, June 6th, 1797.

W. YOUNG

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Of which catalogues with the prices affixed are delivered gratis.

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A perſon well qualified in the bookſelling and ſtationary buſineſs. Applications will be received till the firſt July next, at No. 58, ſouth Second-ſtreet, corner of Cheſnut-ſtreet.

June 6. d7p

Juſt publiſhed,

By J. Ormrod, No. 41, Cheſnut-ſtreet, and to be had of the other Bookſellers alſo,

An Addreſs to the Graduates in Medicine:

Delivered at a Medical Commencement in the Univerſity of Pennſylvania, held May 12th, 1797. By John Andrews, D. D. Vice-Provoſt.

June 6. e3p

For Freight or Charter,
THE
Brig Fame,
FRANCIS KNOX, Maſter:

A ſtrong, excellent veſſel, has been juſt ſheathed and ready to receive a cargo. She will carry 2 000 barrels, has good accommodations for paſſengers.

Apply to

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June 6. 6o

An elegant Houſe in Arch-ſtreet.

TO be let and entered on immediately, a large and elegant Houſe at the corner of Arch and Ninth-ſtreet. There are two drawing rooms and one dining room—the largeſt is 31 feet by 16—and two are ſo connected by folding doors as to make but one. Alſo, five bed rooms, beſide five in the garret, well finiſhed for ſervants. There are ſtables and a coach houſe, with every convenience for a family. Enquire at No. 29, in North Seventh ſtreet, or at No. 218, Arch-ſtreet.

Alſo to be rented for the ſummer ſeaſon, a ſmall neat houſe and garden about 3 1-2 miles from the city, with ſtables and coach houſe, Enquire as above.

June 6. eawgw

LAILSON'S CIRCUS,

South Fifth-Street.

The Public are reſpectfully informed that
The Performances at the NEW CIRCUS
THIS EVENING, June 6,
Will begin by a Grand Parade of Equeſtrian Performers of both ſexes.

AND

A grand diſplay of Horſemanſhip,
and other different exerciſes, by the troop of Equeſtrian Performers, Tumblers, Dancers.

After which will be preſented, (never performed in America)

Pierre de Provence,
And the BEAUTIFUL MAGUELONE.

An heroical, hiſtorical Pantomine, in three acts, with new dreſſes, military evolutions, battles, &c. and three new ſcenes painted by M. Perouany. It will be terminated by a grand tournament, in which ſix combats will be fought with the ſabre, the war axe, the ſword and the dagger.

Box, one dollar. Pit, half a dollar.

The doors will be opened at half paſt five o'clock, and the performances begin preciſely at ſeven.

N. B. No perſon can be admitted in the centre of the Circus, which is excluſively appropriated to the Equeſtrian Exerciſes.

No perſon can be admitted without a ticket, which will ſerve for the day only.

Days of performance, Tueſday, Thurſday, and Saturday.

☞ Mr. Lailſon wiſhes to take a couple of apprentices, of a genteel family, from ten to fifteen years of age, to whom he will teach the Equeſtrian art, and every thing which belongs to his buſineſs.

Lancaſter, Harriſburgh, Carliſle, Shippenſburg and Sunbury
STAGES.

THE public are requeſted to take notice, that the partnerſhip which has for ſome time ſubſiſted between Mathias Slough of Lancaſter, and William Geer, is now diſſolved: but, not as M. Slough inſinuates to the public without juſt cauſe; as will more fully appear by a letter on the ſubject from M. Slough to W. Geer, dated the 29th December laſt. a recital of which is not now deemed neceſſary. Any gentleman who wiſhes to be more circumſtantially informed of the merits of this buſineſs, by applying to W. Geer may have the peruſal of M. Slough's letter, and then can be at full liberty to determine whether or not W. Geer is not perfectly juſtifiable in attaching himſelf to any other perſon in the proſecution of the Stage conveyance from Philadelphia to Shippenſburg, or any other place.

Now from the liberal and generous ſupport the public were pleaſed to confer on the firſt effort in this buſineſs, William Geer, in conjunction with Meſſrs. Reily, Weed and Witmer, is determined to proſecute and carry it on, with every care, attention and diſpatch that a zeal to oblige the public can poſſibly exert.

The above company, who are amply provided with carriages, horſes, and every appurtenance to render the paſſage ſafe and commodious, inform thoſe who wiſh to patronize and encourage the undertaking, that they can take their ſeats at George Weed's, the ſign of the White Horſe, Market Street, Philadelphia, on every Monday and Friday, to proceed to Lancaſter, Harriſburg, Carliſle and Shippenſburg. The fare as hitherto eſtabliſhed.

For the further accommodation of the public, a Stage will ſtart every Wedneſday from the houſe of Samuel Elder, in Harriſburg, arrive at Sunbury in Northumberland county, every Thurſday, and return from thence and arrive at Harriſburg every Saturday, ſo that paſſengers deſtined for Lancaſter or Philadelphia, may proceed on Mondays.

WILLIAM GEER.

Lancaſter, Jan. 27, 1797.

N. B. This Line of Stages ſtarts from the houſe of William Ferree, in Lancaſter, on every Tueſday and Saturday morning at 6 o'clock, proceeding to the weſtward; and from the houſe of Mr. Samuel Elder in Harriſburg every Wedneſday morning, on the ſame evening arrives at Patrick Cochran's in Shippenſburg, and returns from thence on every Thurſday: performing the ſame routine daily as in its tour from Philadelphia. awſ

Propoſals

For carrying MAILS of the United States on the following Poſt Roads, will be received at the General Poſt-Office, in Philadelphia, until the 31ſt day of July next, inclusive.

MAINE.

1. From Brewer's or Stoodie by Machias, Chandler's river and Columbia, to Narraguagus once a week.

Leave Brewer's every Saturday at 2 P M, and arrive at Narraguagus the next Tueſday by 6 P M—*Returning*, leave Narraguagus every Wedneſday at 6 A M, and arrive at Brewer's the next Saturday by 10 A M.

2. From Narraguagus by Gouldſborough, Sullivan, Trenton, Buckſtill, Cuſhine, Penobſcot, Buckſton, Frankfort, Proſpect and Belfaſt to Duck-Trap once a week.

Leave Narraguagus every Wedneſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Duck Trap the next Saturday by 10 A M. *Returning*. Leave Duck Trap every Saturday by 2 P M and arrive at Narraguagus the next Tueſday by 6 P M

3. From Duck Trap by Camden, Thomaſton, Warren, Waldoborough, Newcaſtle, Wiſcaſſet, Bath, Brunſwick, Freeport and North Yarmouth to Portland once a week.

Leave Duck Trap every Saturday by 2 P M, and arrive at Portland the next Tueſday by 6 P M. *Returning*. Leave Portland every Wedneſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Duck Trap the next Saturday by 10 A M.

4. From Portland by Biddeford, Welles and York, to Portſmouth.

April 15 to October 15. Leave Portland every Monday, Wedneſday and Friday by 6 A M, and arrive at Portſmouth the ſame days by 6 P M. *Returning*. Leave Portſmouth every Monday, Wedneſday and Friday at 9 P M, and arrive at Portland on the next day by 6 P M.

October 15 to April 15. Leave Portland every Monday and Thurſday at 6 A M, and arrive at Portſmouth on Tueſday and Friday by 10 A M. *Returning*. Leave Portſmouth every Tueſday and Friday at 1 P M, and arrive at Portland every Wedneſday and Saturday at 5 P M.

5. From Portland by North-Yarmouth, Freeport, Brunſwick, Bath, Wiſcaſſet, Dreſden, Pittſton and Hallowell Hook to Hallowell court houſe, once a week.

Leave Portland every Friday at 8 A. M, and arrive at Hallowell court-houſe the next Saturday by 7 P M. *Returning*. Leave Hallowell court-houſe every Wedneſday by 5 A M, and arrive at Portland on Thurſday by 6 P M.

6. From Wiſcaſſet by Dreſden, Pittſton, Hallowell Hook, Hallowell court-houſe, Winthrop, Monmouth, Green, New-Glouceſter and Gray to Portland once a week.

Leave Portland every Monday by 6 A M, and arrive at Wiſcaſſet on Wedneſday noon. *Returning*. Leave Wiſcaſſet on Wedneſday at 3 P M, and arrive at Portland on Friday by 6 P M.

7. From Hallowell Hook by Vaſſalborough, Fort Halifax, Winſlow, Fairfield and Canaan to Norridgewok once a week.

Leave Hallowell Hook every Wedneſday at 11 A M, and arrive at Norridgewock on Thurſday by 6 P M. *Returning*. Leave Norridgewock on Monday at 2 P M, and arrive at Hallowell Hook on Tueſday by 6 P M.

8. From Hallowell Hook to Farmington on Sandy river once in two weeks.

Leave Hallowell Hook every other Wedneſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Farmington by 6 P M. *Returning*. Leave Farmington every other Thurſday at 8 A M, and arrive at Hallowell Hook by 6 P M.

9. From Portland by Falmouth, Gorham, Buxton, Standiſh, Limerick, Parſonfield, Shapleigh and Lebanon to Berwick, once in two weeks.

Leave Portland every other Monday at 8 A M, and arrive at Berwick on Wedneſday by noon.

Leave Berwick every other Wedneſday at 2 P M, and arrive at Portland on Friday by 6 P M.

10. From Standiſh by Fluſtown, Fryburg academy, Conway and Tamworth to Sandwich in New Hampſhire once in two weeks.

Leave Standiſh every other Tueſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Sandwich on Wedneſday by 6 PM. *Returning*. Leave Sandwich every other Thurſday at 8 A M, and arrive at Standiſh on Friday by 6 P M.

11. From Wells by Waterboro', Sanford, Doughty's Falls, Berwick and Dover, to Portſmouth once a week.

Leave Wells every Tueſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Portſmouth on Wedneſday by 10 A M. *Returning*. Leave Portſmouth every Wedneſday by 2 P M, and arrive at Wells next Thurſday by 6 P M.

NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

12. From Portſmouth by Dover, Rocheſter and Moultonborough to Plymouth, returning by New-Hampton, Meredith, Gilmantown, Nottingham and Durham to Portſmouth once in two weeks.

Leave Portſmouth every other Wedneſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Plymouth the next Friday by 6 P M. *Returning*. Receive the mail at Plymouth every other Saturday by 8 A M, and return to Portſmouth the next Tueſday by 4 P M.

Note. "The poſt is to go and return on this route alternately."

13. From Portſmouth by Exeter, Cheſter, Londonderry, Amherſt, Peterborough and Marlborough to Keene, once a week.

Leave Portſmouth every Thurſday by 8 A M, arrive at Exeter by one P M, at Cheſter by 6 P M, and at Keene on Saturday by 4 P M. *Returning*. Leave Keene every Monday by 8 A M, arrive at Cheſter on Tueſday by 4 P M, at Exeter on Wedneſday by 9 A M, and at Portſmouth by 4 P M.

14. From Concord by Plymouth to Haverhill, once a week.

Leave Concord every Monday by 6 A M, arrive at Plymouth on Tueſday by 3 P M, and at Haverhill on Wedneſday by 4 P M. *Returning*. Leave Haverhill every Thurſday by 8 A M, arrive at Plymouth on Friday by 9 A M, and at Concord on Saturday by 4 P M.

15. From Exeter to Hampton Falls, three times a week from April 15 to October 15, and twice a week from October 15 to April 15.

Leave Hampton falls in one hour after the arrival after the arrival of the mail from Boſton, and deliver it at Exeter in two hours, remain at Exeter two hours and return to Hampton Falls in ſix hours from the time of leaving it.

MASSACHUSETTS.

16. From Newburyport, Haverhill, Kingſton, Exeter, New Market and Durham to Dover once a week.

Leave Newburyport every Monday by 10 A M, arrive at Dover on Wedneſday by noon. *Returning*. Leave Dover on Wedneſday by 3 P M, and arrive at Newburyport on Friday by 3 P M.

17. From Salem to Glouceſter once a week.

Leave Glouceſter every Wedneſday by 7 A M, and arrive at Salem by 11 A M. *Returning*. Leave Salem every Wedneſday by 1 P M, and arrive at Glouceſter by 6 P M.

Note. Should this mail be carried in a ſtage it is to be carried as often as the ſtage runs, the hours deſired to be ſtated in the propoſals.

18. From Salem to Marblehead three times a week. Leave Salem every Monday, Wedneſday, and Friday immediately after the arrival of the mail from Boſton, and deliver it at Marblehead in one hour and a half, leave Marblehead in one hour and a half and return to Salem in two hours.

19 From Boſton by Andover, Haverhill and Cheſter to Concord in New Hampſhire once a week.

Leave Concord every Monday by 6 A M, arrive at Cheſter by 2 P M, and arrive at Boſton on Tueſday by 4 P M. *Returning*. Leave Boſton every Friday by 9 A M, arrive at Cheſter on Saturday by 11 A M, and arrive at Concord on Saturday by 6 P M.

20. From Boſton by Concord, Lancaſter, Leominſter and Aſhburnham to Marlborough, Keene and Walpole in New Hampſhire.

Leave Boſton every Wedneſday and Saturday by 6 A M, and arrive at Leominſter by 7 P M.

Leave Leominſter every Thurſday by 6 A M, arrive at Keene by 9 PM, & at Walpole on Friday by 10 A M. *Returning*. Leave Walpole every Saturday or Sunday by 5 A M, arrive at Keene by 9 A M, and at Leominſter in the evening. Leave Leominſter every Monday and Thurſday by 6 A M and arrive at Boſton by 6 P M.

21. From Boſton by Quincey, Hingham, Hanover, Plymouth, Sandwich, Barnſtable, Yarmouth, Dennis, Harwich and Chatham to Truro once a week

Leave Boſton every Thurſday by 3 P M, arrive at Sandwich on Friday by 6 P M, and at Truro the next Sunday by 6 A M. *Returning*. Leave Truro every Monday by 8 A M, arrive at Sandwich on Tueſday by 7 P M, and at Boſton on Thurſday by 10 A M.

22. From Sandwich by Falmouth and Holmes Hole to Edgartown once a week

Leave Sandwich every Saturday by 1 P M, and arrive at Edgarton on Monday by 11 A M. *Returning*. Leave Edgarton on Monday by 2 P M, and arrive at Sandwich on Tueſday by noon.

23. From Boſton by Sharon, Mansfield, Norton and Taunton to Newport once a week.

Leave Boſton every Monday by 6 A M, and arrive at Newport by 6 P M, on Tueſday. *Returning*. Leave Newport every Wedneſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Boſton on Thurſday by 6 P M.

24. From Boſton by Charleſton, Medford, Woburn, Billerica, Chelmsford and Tyngboroegh to Amherſt once a week.

Leave Boſton every Thurſday by 10 A M, and arrive at Amherſt the next Saturday noon. *Returning*. Leave Amherſt every Monday noon, and arrive at Boſton on Wedneſday by 3 P M.

25. From Boſton by Raynham, Bridgewater, Randolph and Taunton to New Bedford.

From May 1 to November 1. Leave Boſton every Monday, wedneſday and Friday at 10 P M, arrive at Taunton the next day by 11 A M, and at New Bedford by 8 P M. *Returning*. Leave New Bedford every Sunday, Tueſday and Thurſday by 10 P M, arrive at Taunton the next day by 11 A M, and at Boſton by 8 P M

From November 1 to May 1. Leave Boſton every wedneſday and Friday at 9 A M, arrive at Taunton by 8 P M, and at New Bedford on Thurſday & Saturday by 8 P M. Returning. Leave New Bedford every Monday and wedneſday by 9 A M, arrive at Trunton by 8 P M, and at Boſton on Tueſday and Thurſday by 7 P M.

26. From New Bedford to Nantucket, twice a week from November 1 to May 1. Leave New Bedford every Friday and Monday by 6 A M, arrive at Nantucket in the evening. Leave Nantucket every Saturday and Tueſday by 10 A M, and arrive at New Bedford in the evening.

From May 1 to November 1. Leave New Bedford every Monday, wedneſday and Friday by 10 A M, and arrive at Nantucket in the evening. Returning. Leave Nantucket every Tue day, Thurſday and Saturday at 8 A M, and arrive at New Bedford in the evening, winds and tide permitting.

27. From Taunton by Dighton and Somerſet to warren once a week.

Leave Taunton every wedneſday by 5 A M, and arrive at warren by 10 A M. Leave warren by 1 P M, and arrive at Taunton by 6 P M.

28. From Boſton by Dedham, Providence, Plainfield, Norwich, New London, Saybrook, Killingworth, Guilford and New Haven to New York three times a week.

From May 1 to November 1. Leave Boſton every Tueſday, Thurſday and Saturday by 10 A M, arrive at Providence by 6 P M, arrive at Norwich on wedneſday, Friday and Monday by noon, at New London by 3 P M, arrive at New Haven on Thurſday, Saturday and Tueſday by noon, at Stanford by 9 P M, and at New York on Friday, Monday and wedneſday by noon. Returning. Leave New York every Tueſday, Thurſday and Saturday by 10 A M, arrive at New Haven on wedneſday, Friday and Monday by 2 P M, at Norwich on Thurſday, Saturday and Tueſday by noon, at Providence by 8 P M, and at Boſton on Friday, Monday and wedneſday by 1 P M.

November 1 to May 1. Leave Boſton every Tueſday, Thurſday and Saturday by 9 A M, arrive at providence the next days by 9 A M, at New London every Thurſday, Saturday and Tueſday by noon, at New Haven on Friday, Monday and wedneſday by 3 P M, at Stratford by 8 P M, and arrive at New York on Monday, wedneſday and Friday by 11 A M. Returning. Leave New York every Saturday, Tueſday and Thurſday by 11 A M, arrive at Stratford the next days by 8 P M, at New Haven on Tueſday, Thurſday and Saturday by 9 A M, at New London on wedneſday, Friday and Monday by 3 P M, at providence, Thurſday, Saturday and Tueſday by 4 P M, at Boſton on Friday, Monday and wedneſday by 3 P M.

29. From Boſton by Dedham, Mendon, Pomfret and Tolland to Hartford once a week.

Leave Boſton every Thurſday by 7 A M, arrive at Hartford the next Saturday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Hartford every Monday by 8 A M, and arrive at Boſton on wedneſday by 5 P M.

30. From New Bedford to Newport once a week.

Leave New Bedford every Thurſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Newport by 4 P M. Leave Newport every Friday by 8 A M, and arrive at New Bedford by 5 P M.

31. From woaceſter by Rutland, Peterſham and Northfield to Brattleborough once a week.

Leave worceſter every Tueſday by 1 P M. and arrive at Brattleborough on wedneſday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Brattleborough every Thurſday by 6 A M, and arrive at worceſter on Friday noon.

32. From Brookfield by Belchertown, Northampton, worthington, Pittsfield and New Lebanon to Albany

Leave Brookfield every Tueſday and Friday by 9 A M, arrive at Northampton by 6 P M. Leave Northampton every wedneſday and Saturday at 5 A M, arrive at Pittsfield by 1 P M, and at Albany on Thurſday and Monday by 7 P M. Returniug. Leave Albany every wedneſday and Saturday at 5 A M, arrive at Pittsfield by 5 P M, at Northampton on Thurſday and Monday by 7 P M, and arrive at Brookfield on Friday and Tueſday by 4 P M.

33. From Springfield by Weſtfield and Stockbridge to Kinderhook once a week.

May 1 to November 1. Leave Springfield every Tueſday by 3 P M, arrive at Kinderhook on Thurſday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Kinderhook every Friday by 9 A M, arrive at Stockbridge by 3 P M. Leave Stockbridge on Monday by 6 A M, and arrive at Springfield by 7 P M.

November 1 to May 1. Leave Springfield every wedneſday at 6 A M, and arrive at Kinderhook on Thurſday by 2 P M. Returning. Leave Kinderhook on Thurſday by 4 P M, arrive at Stockbridge on Friday noon. Leave Stockbridge every Tueſday at 6 A M, and arrive at Springfield by 7 P M.

34. From Suffield by Weſt Springfield, Northampton, Greenfield, Brattleborough, Weſtminſter, Walpole, Charleſtown and Windſor to Hanover twice a week.

Leave Suffield every Tueſday and Friday at A M, arrive at Northampton by 1 P M, at Walpole on Wedneſday and Saturday by 5 P M, at Windſor on Monday and Thurſday by 2 P M, and at Hanover by 7 P M. Returning. Leave Hanover every Tueſday and Friday by 6 A M, arrive at Windſor by 1 P M, at Walpole on Wedneſday and Saturday by 7 P M, and at Northampton on Thurſday and Monday by noon, and at Suffield by 7 P M.

35. From Hanover by Oxford and Haverhill, to Newbury once a week.

Leave Hanover every Wedneſday by 6 A M, arrive at Haverhill by 4 P M, and at Newbury by 5 P M. Returning. Leave Newbury every Thurſday by 6 A M, arrive at Haverhill by 8 A M, and at Hanover by 6 P M.

VERMONT.

36. From Windſor, by Royaliton, Randolph, Williamſton and Montpelier to Burlington once in two weeks.

Leave Windſor every other Thurſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Burlingtonthe next Saturday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Burlington every other Monday by 6 A M, and arrive at Windſor on Wedneſday by 6 P M

37. From Windſor to Rutland once a week.

Leave Rutland every Monday by 7 A M, and arrive at Windſor on Tueſday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Windſor every Wedneſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Rutland on Thurſday by 6 P M.

38. From Burlington by Vergennes and Middlebury to Rutland once a week.

Leave Burlington every Thurſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Rutland on Saturday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Rutland every Monday by 8 A M. and arrive at Burlington on Wedneſday noon.

39. From Rutland by Manchester, Bennington, Lanſingburg and Troy to Albany.

Leave Rutland every Monday at 8 A M, and arrive at Albany the next Wedneſday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Albany every Thurſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Bennington by 7 P M. Leave Bennington on Friday by 8 A M, and arrive at Rutland on Saturday by 7 P M.

RHODE-ISLAND.

40. From Providence by Brittol and Warren to Newport.

Leave Providence every Monday, Wedneſday and Friday by 7 A M, and arrive at Newport the ſame days by 5 P M. Returning. Leave Newport every Tueſday, Thurſday and Saturday by 8 AM, and arrive at Providence by 4 P M.

41. From Providence by Eaſt Greenwich, Newport, South Kingſton, Weſterly and Stonington Point to New London once a week.

Leave Providence every Tueſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Newport by 6 P M, leave Newport every Wedneſday by 6 A M, and arrive at New London on Thurſday by noon. Returning. Leave New London on Thurſday by 3 P M, and arrive at Newport on Friday by 6 P M, leave Newport on Monday by 7 A M, and arrive at Providence by 5 P M.

CONNECTICUT.

42. From Hartford by Windham to Norwich once a week.

Leave Hartford every Tueſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Norwich by 7 P M. Returning. Leave Norwich every Monday by 6 A M, and arrive at Hartford by 7 P M.

43. From Hartford by Middletown, Modus Landing and Colcheſter to New-London, once a week.

Leave Hartford every Tueſday at 1 P M, and arrive at New London on Wedneſday by 7 P M. Returning. Leave New London every Thurſday by 11 A M, and arrive at Hartford on Friday by 7 P M.

44. From Hartford by New Hartford, Canaan, Sheffield and Hillſdale to Hudſon once a week

Leave Hartford every Monday at 2 P M, and arrive at Hudſon on Wedneſday by 11 A M. Returning. Leave Hudſon every Wedneſday at 2 P M, and arrive at Hartford on Friday by 11 A M.

45. From Hartford by Jenkintown, Plumſtead and Pipers by Bethlehem to Eaſton once a week.

Leave Hartford every Monday by 10 A M, arrive at Litchfield by 7 P M, at New Milford on Tueſday by 11 A M, and at New York on Thurſday by 8 A M. Returnrng. Leave New York every Thurſday by 4 P M, arrive at New Milford on Saturday noon, at Litchfield by 7 P M, and at Hartford on Monday by 8 A M.

46. From New-Haven by Derby, Southbury, Woodbury, Bethlem, Litchfield and Goſhen, to Canaan, once a week.

Leave Canaan every Monday noon, arrive at Litchfield by 7 P M, and at New Haven on Wedneſday by 10 A M. Leave New Haven every Wedneſday by 2 P M, arrive at Litchfield on Thurſday noon, and at Canaan by 7 P M.

47. From New York by White Plains, Bedford, Fredericktown, Dover, Sharon, Sheffield, Great Barrington, Stockbridge, Pittsfield and Williamſton to Bennington

Leave New York every Monday, Wedneſday and Friday at 5 A M, the next Wedneſday, Friday and Monday at 6 P M. Returning. Leave Bennington every Thurſday, Saturday and Tueſday by 5 A M, and arrive at New York the next Saturday, Tueſday and Thurſday by 6 P M.

If the ſtages run but once a week on this route the mail is to leave New York every Monday at 5 A M, arrive at Bennington on Wedneſday by 6 P M. Leave Bennington on Thurſday by 5 A M, and arrive at New York on Saturday by 6 P M.

48. From New York by Yonkers, Peekskill, Fishkill, Poughkeepſie, Rhinebeck, Redhook, Clermont, Hudſon, Claverac and Kinderhook to Albany three times a week.

Leave New York every Monday Wedneſday and Friday by 2 P M, arrive at Tarrytown by 8 P M. Leave Tarrytown every Tueſday, Thurſday and Saturday at 5 A M, arrive at Poughkeepſie by 7 P M. Leave Poughkeepſie Wedneſday, Friday and Sunday by 5 A M, arrive at Kinderhook by 7 P M. Leave Kinderhook every Thurſday, Saturday and Monday, at 5 A M, and arrive at Albany by 8 A M. Returning. Leave Albany Thurſday, Saturday and Monday by 3 P M, arrive at Kinderhook by 7 P M. Leave Kinderhook Friday, Sunday and Tueſday, at 5 A M, arrive at Poughkeepſie by 7 P M. Leave Poughkeepſie Saturday, Monday and Wedneſday, at 5 A M, arrive at Tarrytown by 7 P M. Leave Tarrytown every Sunday, Tueſday and Thurſday, at 5 A M, arrive at New York at 11 A M.

49. From Albany by Troy and Lanſingburgh, to Salem, once a week.

Leave Albany every Tueſday at 8 A M, arrive at Lanſingburgh by 10 A M, and at Salem by 4 P M. Returning. Leave Salem every Monday, by 8 A M, and arrive at Albany by 5 P M,

50. From Salem by Granville, Fairhaven, Vergennes, Baſon-Harbour, Williſboro', Peru and Plattsburgh, to Champlain-town, once in two weeks,

Leave Salem every other Wedneſday by 5 A M, and arrive at Plattſburgh the next Sunday by 5 P M. Returning. Leave Plattſburgh every other Monday at 8 A M, and arrive at Salem the next Friday by 4 P M.

51. From Lanſingburgh by Waterford, Stillwater, Fort Edward, Whitehall landing and Fairhaven, to Rutland, in Vermout.

Leave Lanſingburgh every Thurſday by noon, and arrive at Rutland the next Saturday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Rutland every Monday by noon, and arrive at Lanſingburgh on Thurſday by 10 A M.

52. From Albany by Schenectady, Tripes Hill, Conajoharry, German Flatts, Old Fort Schuyler and Whitestown to Rome. *The times deſired to be ſtated in the propoſals.*

53. From Schenectady by Balltown Springs and Glenſbridge to Sandy Hill once a week.

Leave Schenectady every Tueſday by 6 A M. and arrive at Sandy Hill by 4 P M. Leave Sandy Hill on Wedneſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Schenectady by 4 P M.

54. From Tripeſhill to Johnſton once a week.

Leave Tripeſhill in one hour after the mail arrives from Albany on Tueſday, arrive at Johnſton in two hours, ſtay at Johnſton two hours, and return to Tripeſhill in two hours.

55. From Conajoharry by Cherry Valley to Cooperſtown twice a week.

Leave Conajoharry every Wedneſday and Saturday at 6 A M, and arrive at Cooperſtown by 2 P M. Leave Cooperſtown every Tueſday and Friday by 10 A M. and arrive at Conajoharry by 6 P M.

56. From Cooperſtown by Butternuts and Oxford to Union once in two weeks.

Leave Union every other Monday by 10 A M, and arrive at Cooperſtown on Wedneſday by 5 P M. Returning. Leave Cooperſtown every other Thurſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Union on Saturday by 3 P M.

57. From Old Fort Schuyler by Cincinnatus to Oxford Academy once in two weeks.

Leave Old Fort Schuyler every other Thurſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Oxford on Friday noon. Returning. Leave Oxford every other Friday by 2 P M, and arrive at Old Fort Schuyler on Saturday by 7 P M.

58 From Rome by to Rotterdam once in two weeks.

Leave Rome every other Thurſdry by 10 A M, and arrive at Rotterdam by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Rotterdam every other Friday by 9 A M, and arrive at Rome by 6 P M.

59. From Rome by Oneida, Onondaigus, Scipio and Geneva to Kanandaigua once a week.

Leave Rome every Thurſday by 10 A M, and arrive at Kanandaigua the next Monday by 6 A M. Leave Kanandaigua every Monday by 10 A M, and arrive at Rome the next Thurſday by 8 A M.

60. From Kanandaigua by Hartford to Niagara once in two weeks.

Leave Kanandaigua every other Monday by 10 A M, and arrive at Niagara the next Wedneſday by 7 P M. Returniag. Leave Niagara every other Friday by 6 A M, and arrive at Kanandaigua the next Monday by 6 A M.

61. From Rhinebeck by Kingſton, Shawangunk, Wardſbridge, Goſhen, Hamburg, Newtown, Hacketſtown and Morriſtown to Newark, to return from Morriſtown by Booneton, Rockaway and Sparta to Newtown once a week.

Leave Rhinebeck every Friday by 5 A M, arrive at Goſhen on Saturday at 7 A M, at Newtown by 7 P M, at Hacketſtown and Morriſtown on Sunday, and at Newark on Monday by 10 A M. Returning. Leave Newark every Monday by 2 P M, arrive at Booneton and Rockaway on Tueſday, at Newtown by 7 P M, at Goſhen on Wedneſday at 5 P M, and at Rhinebeck on Thurſday by 9 P M.

62. From New York by Hackenſack, Paramus, New Antrim and Cheſter to Goſhen once a week.

Leave New York every Friday at 7 A M, and arrive at Goſhen on Saturday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Goſhen every Tueſday at 6 A M, and arrive at New York on Wedneſday by 6 P M.

63. From Fiſhkill by Newburg and New Windſor to Goſhen once a week.

Leave Fiſhkill every Wedneſday by 7 A M, and arrive at Goſhen by 5 P M. Leave Goſhen every Tueſday at 7 A M, and arrive at Fiſhkill by 5 P M.

64. From New York by Jamaica, Huntington, Smithtown, Brookhaven, Suffolk, Southampton & Bridgehampton to Sagharbour once a week.

Leave New York every Thurſday at 10 A M, and arrive at Sagharbour the next Saturday by 6 P M. Leave Sagharbour every Monday at 8 A M, and arrive at New York on Wedneſday by 5 P M.

NEW-JERSEY.

65. From Woodbridge to Amboy three times a week.

Leave Woodbridge every Monday, Wedneſday & Friday at 8 A M, and arrive at Amboy by 9 A M. Leave Amboy at noon and arrive at Woodbridge by 1 P M.

66. From Trenton by Allentown, Monmouth court-houſe, Shrewſbury, Middletown Point, Spotſwood, New Brunſwick, Somerſet, New Germanton, Pittſton and Flemington to Trenton once a week.

Leave Trentou every Tueſday by 10 A M, and return to Trenton the next Tueſday by 6 A M.

67. From Philadelphia by Taunton and Atſion to Tuckerton once in two weeks.

Leave Philadelphia every other Wedneſday by 3 P M, arrive at Tuckerton on Thurſday by 6 P M. Leave Tuckerton every other Tueſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Philadelphia on Wedneſday by 9 A M.

68. From Philadelphia by Woodbury, Swedeſborough, Woodſtown and Salem to Bridgetown once a week.

Leave Philadelphia every Wedneſday afternoon by 3 o'clock, and arrive at Bridgetown on Friday by 2 P M. Leave Bridgetown on Saturday at 8 A M, and arrive at Philadelphia on Wedneſday at 9 A M.

69. From Philadelphia by Jenkintown, Plumſtead and Pipers by Bethlehem to Eaſton once a week.

Leave Philadelphia every Wedneſday by 10 A M, and arrive at Eaſton on Thurſday by 2 P M. Returning. Leave Eaſton every Monday at 9 A M, and arrive at Philadelphia on Tueſday by 3 P M.

70. From Plumſtead by Pipers and Alexandria to Pittſton once a week.

Leave Plumſtead every Thurſday by 5 A M, arrive at Pittſton by 11 A M. Leave Pittſton by 1 P M, and arrive at Plumſtead by 7 P M.

71. From Eaſton to Wilkeſbarre once a week.

Leave Eaſton every Thurſday by 3 P M, and arrive at Wilkeſbarre on Saturday noon. Returning. Leave Wilkeſbarre every Tueſday noon, and arrive at Eaſton every Thurſday by noon.

72. From Philadelphia by Norriſtown, Trap, Pottſgrove, Reading, Lebanon and Harriſburg to Carliſle.

October 15 to April 15. Leave Philadelphia every Tueſday and Thurſday at ſunſet, arrive at Reading every Thurſday and Saturday at 4 P M. Leave Reading every Friday at 8 A M, arrive at Carliſle every Sunday by 11 A M. Returning Leave Carliſle every Sunday by 2 P M, arrive at Reading on Tueſday by 4 P M, leave Reading every Wedneſday and Monday by 8 A M, and arrive at Philadelphia on Thurſday and Tueſday by 4 P M.

April 15, to October 15. Leave Philadelphia every Wedneſday and Friday at 8 A M, arrive at Reading on Thurſday and Saturday by 11 A M. Leave Reading every Thurſday noon, and arrive at Carliſle the next Saturday by 11 A M. Returning. Leave Carliſle every Monday noon, arrive at Reading on Tueſday by 7 P M. Leave Reading every Wedneſday and Monday at 8 A M, and arrive at Philadelphia on Thurſday and Tueſday by 9 A M

73. From Reading by Hamburg, Sunbury and Northumberland to Louiſburg once a week.

Leave Reading every Friday at 6 A M, and arrive at Louiſburg on Monday by 10 A M. Returning. Leave Louiſburg every Tueſday noon, and arrive at Reading on Thurſday by 4 P M.

74. From Harriſburg by Peterſburg, Millerſtown, Thompſontown, Mifflintown, Louiſtown, Huntingdon, Alexandria, Centre Furnace, Belle Fount, Milesburg, Aaronſburg, Mifflinburg, Louiſburg, Northumberland, Sunbury and Halifax to Harriſburg once in two weeks.

Leave Harriſburg every Saturday by 6 A M, waiting at each poſt-office which ſhall be eſtabliſhed on the route, two hours, and return again to Harriſburg the next Monday by 8 A M.

75. From Somerſet by Connellſville to Union once a week.

Leave Pittſburg every Friday noon and arrive at Wheeling on Saturday by noon. Returning. Leave Wheeling every Thurſday by 9 A M, and arrive at Pittſburg on Saturday by 10 A M.

75 Leave Somerſet every Thurſday by 5 A. M. arrive at Union by 4 P. M. Leave Union every Friday by 8 A. M and arrive at Somerſet by 7 P. M.

76. From Pittſburg by Cannonſburg, Waſhington and Weſt Liberty to Wheeling once a week.

77 From Preſton by Waſhington to Cincinnati once a week.

Leave Preſton every Friday at noon, arrive at Waſhington by 8 P M, and at Cincinnati the next Monday noon. Returning. Leave Cincinnati every Tueſday at 6 A M, and arrive at Waſhington on Wedneſday by 5 P M. Leave Waſhington at 9 P M, and arrive at Preſton on Friday by 11¼ A M.

KENTUCKY.

78 From Waſhington by Springfield, Bourbon, Lexington, Frankfort and Harrodſburg to Danville once a week,

Leave Waſhington every Saturday by 8 A M, and arrive at Danville the next Monday by 5 P M. Returning. Leave Danville every Tueſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Lexington on Wedneſday noon, and at Waſhington on Thurſday by 6 P M.

79. From Danville to Louiſville by Beardſtown once in two weeks.

Leave Danville every other Tueſday by noon, arrive at Louiſville the next Thurſday by 3 P M. Returning. Leave Louiſville every other Friday by 6 A M, and arrive at Danville on Saturday by 6 P M

80. From Danville by Stamford and Cumberland Gap to Moffat's ſtore in Tenneſſee once a week.

Leave Danville every Monday at 2 P M. and arrive at Moffat's ſtore the next Thurſday by 6 P M. Leave Moffat's ſtore every Friday by 6 A M, and arrive at Danville on Monday by 10 A M.

TENNESSEE.

81. From Knoxville by South Weſt Point and Fort Blount and Craig Fort to Naſhville once in two weeks.

Leave Knoxville every other Tueſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Naſhville the next Monday by 9 A M. Returning. Leave Naſhville every other Monday by 3 P M, and arrive at Knoxville the next Saturday by 8 P M.

MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA.

82. From Baltimore by Ellicot's Lower Mills, Montgomery Court Houſe, Charleſburg, Leeſburg, Middleburg and Warrenton to Culpeper, C. H. once a week.

Leave Baltimore every Monday noon, arrive at Leeſburg on Tueſday evening, and at Culpeper Court Houſe the next Thurſday noon. Returning. Leave Culpeper Court Houſe every Friday noon and arrive at Baltimore the next Monday by 9 A M.

83. From Alley's Freſh by Ludlow's Ferry to Port Conway in Virginia once in two weeks,

Leave Allen's Freſh every other Monday by 6 A M, and arrive at Port Conway by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Port Conway every other Tueſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Allen's Freſh by 7 P M.

84. From Morgantown by Betty John to to Clarkſbury once in two weeks.

Leave Morgantown every other Monday by 5 A M, and arrive at Clarkſburg by 5 P M. Returning. Leave Clarkſburg every other Tueſday by 8 A M, and arrive at Morgantown by 8 P M.

85. From Todds to King and Queen, C. H. once a week.

Leave Todds every Thurſday by 9 A M, arrive at King and Queen by 11 A M. Leave King and Queen at 1 P M, and arrive at Todds by 6 P M.

86. From Halifax by Danville to Caſwell court-houſe once in two weeks.

Leave Halifax court-houſe every other Tueſday by 2 P M, arrive at Caſwell court houſe the next Wedneſday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Caſwell C. H. every other Thurſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Halifax court-houſe on Friday by noon.

87. From Peterſburgh by Suſſex court houſe and Southampton court houſe to South Quay, once in two weeks.

Leave Peterſburg every other Wedneſday by 6 A M and arrive at South Quay on Thurſday by 6 P M. Returning. Leave South Quay every other Monday by 6 A M and arrive at Peterſburg on Tueſday by 3 P M.

NORTH-CAROLINA, &c

88. From Newbern to Beaufort and Swanſboro' once in two weeks, the mail to go alternately.

Leave Newbern every other Thurſday by 6 A M, remain at each of the offices two hours, and return to Newbern the next

89. From Wilmington by Georgetown to Charleſton, once a week.

Leave Wilmington every Monday by 6 A M and arrive at Charleſton the next Thurſday by 10 A M. Leave Charleſton every Thurſday by 3 P M and arrive at Wilmington the next Sunday by 5 P M.

90 From Norfolk by Kempſville, Great Bridge and North Weſt River Bridge to Joneſboro', once in two weeks.

Leave Norfolk every other Wedneſday at 9 A M and arrive at Joneſboro' on Thurſday by 7 P M. Returning. Leave Joneſboro' every other Monday by 10 A M and arrive at Norfolk on Tueſday by 6 P M.

91 From North Weſt River Bridge by New Lebanon to Elizabeth city, once in two weeks.

Leave North Weſt River Bridge every other Friday by 6 A M add arrive at Elizabeth city by 6 P M. Leave Elizabeth city every other Saturday by 6 A M, and arrive at N. W. river bridge by 6 P M.

92. From Salem, N. C. by Bethania, Flower-Gap Grayſoncourt-houſe and Auſtinville to Wythe court-houſe once in two weeks.

Leave Salem every other Saturday by 6 A M, and arrive at Wythe c. h. the next Mon. by 6 P M. Leave Wythe court-houſe every other Tueſday by 9 A M, and arrive at Salem the next Thurſday by 6 P M.

93. From Murfreeſboro' by South Quay to Suffolk once a week,

From Murfreeſboro' every Wedneſday by 6 A M, arrive at Suffolk by 6 P M. Returning. Leave Suffolk every Tueſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Murfreeſboro' by 6 P M.

94. From Fayetteville to Pittſburg once in two weeks.

Leave Fayetteville every other Wedneſday by 6 A M, and arrive at Pittſburg on Thurſday at 10 A M. Leave Pittſburg every other Thurſday by 2 P M, and arrive at Fayetteville on Friday by 6 P M.

GEORGIA AND SOUTH-CAROLINA.

95. From Auguſta by Robinſon at the White Ponds and Gillets mills to Cooſahatchy, once a week.

Leave Auguſta every Tueſday by 8 A M and arrive at Cooſahatchy on Wedneſday by 7 P M. Returning. Leave Cooſahatchy every Sunday at 6 A M and arrive at Auguſta on Monday by 5 P M.

96. From Georgetown to Rocky Landing in Georgia, once in two weeks.

Leave Georgetown every other Monday at 6 A M, and arrive at Rocky Landing at 5 P M. Returning. Leave Rocky Landing every other Tueſday by 6 A M and arrive at Georgetown by 6 PM.

Note 1. The Poſt Maſter General may alter the times of arrival and departure at any time during the continuance of the contracts, he previouſly ſtipulating an adequate compenſation for any extra expenſe that may be occaſioned thereby.

Note 2. Half an hour ſhall be allowed for opening and cloſing the Mail at all offices where no particular time is ſpecified.

Note 3. *For every hour's delay (unavoidable accidents excepted) in arriving after the times preſcribed in any contract, the Contractor ſhall forfeit one dollar, and if the delay continue until the departure of any depending Mail, whereby the Mails deſtined for ſuch depending Mail, loſe a trip, an additional forfeitune of five dollars ſhall be incurred.*

Note 4. Newſpapers as well as Letters are to be ſent in the Mails; and if any perſon making propoſals deſires to carry newſpapers other than thoſe conveyed in the mail, for his own emolument, he muſt ſtate in his propoſals for what ſum he will carry it with that emolument and for what ſum without that emolument.

Note 5. Should any perſon making propoſals deſire an alteration of the times of arrival and departure above ſpecified, he muſt ſtate in his propoſals the alterations deſired, and the difference they will make in the terms of his contract.

*Note 6. Perſons making propoſals are deſired to ſtate their prices by the year. Thoſe who contract will receive their pay quarterly,